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AGAINST A WALL.

BULLER'S ADVANCE COMES TO A SHORT STOP.

THE BOERS ARE TOO STRONG

BRITISH IN FRONT OF THE MAIN POSITION.

A NIGHT ATTACK PROMISED

INTENSE ANXIETY REIGNS IN BRITAIN.

London, Jan. 24.—The following dispatch from General Buller, dated at Spearman's Camp, January 23, 6:30 p. m., was posted at the war office at 2:15 o'clock this morning:

"Warren holds the position he gained two days ago. In front of him, at about 1,400 yards, is the enemy's position, west of Spion's Kop. It is on higher ground than Warren's position, so it is impossible to see into it properly.

"It can be approached only over bare, open slopes, and the ridges held by Warren are so steep that guns cannot be placed on them. But we are shelling the enemy's position with Howitzers and field artillery, placed on lower ground, behind infantry.

"The enemy is replying with Creusot and other artillery. In this duel the advantage rests with us, as we appear to be searching his trenches, and his artillery fire is not causing us much loss.

"An attempt will be made tonight to seize Spion's Kop, the salient of which forms the left of the enemy's position facing Trichard's Drift and which divides it from the position facing Potgieter's Drift. It has considerable command over all the enemy's intrenchments."

AN ANXIOUS PAUSE.

London, Jan. 24.—2:45 p. m.—The extreme tension caused by what may justly be designated the most anxious pause since the war began had not been relieved up to the time of writing by anything save the daily stock exchange rumors, which today happen to have been started by the bulls, who assert that General Warren has captured Spion kopje. Anxiety in regard to the next news is visible on all sides.

The war office was besieged at an early hour this morning and the clubs and other resorts liable to receive early news have been crowded with eager inquirers.

It is generally recognized that the Boer position, if ever taken, can only be captured at a tremendous cost.

BOER LOSS SMALL.

A dispatch from Pretoria, dated Tuesday, Jan. 23, somewhat amplifies the dispatch of Monday, Jan. 22, from the Boer head inager, cabled to the Associated Press last evening. It says:

"Four or five times during the day the British replaced their wearied soldiers by fresh ones. The Boer casualties to date are one man killed and two slightly wounded. Our men are in excellent spirits. There has been a large slaughter of British.

"General Botha is now in sole command, General Cronje having been sent elsewhere."

The same dispatch, apparently referring to the situation at Colenso, says:

"One of the large Boer Maxims was temporarily disordered, but was soon repaired. The British northern camp is in confusion. People are observed trekking aimlessly in all directions."

ADMITS THE TRUTH.

Commenting on Captain Mahan's attitude, the St. James Gazette today remarks:

"His advice is good and needed in America. While strict neutrality is maintained in the official world and good will for England is felt by the better informed, it is simply misleading the public of this country to suggest, as some correspondents are doing, that antagonism to England is confined to a negligible majority of Americans. The sympathy of America, as a whole, is as a matter of fact no more with England at this moment than was our popular sympathy with them at the outbreak of the war with Spain, and the contrast of official and popular attitudes is no less marked in the United States than it is in Germany."

NO NEWS COMES.

London, Jan. 24.—4:10 p. m.—As the afternoon progressed the excitement on Pall Mall reached a high pitch. But the war office officials reiterated, at 3:30 p. m., the oft-repeated statement that "nothing has been received from Buller."

The suspense was increased by the belief that General Buller would never have published his intention to attack the Boers on Spion Kop unless satisfied that the assault would be carried out before the news could be published, and it was fully anticipated that the news of his success or failure would reach London in a few hours at the most.

The cabinet ministers called at the war office after lunch to ask for news.

TO HELP A TRANSPORT.

Cape Town, Tuesday, Jan. 23.—The British transport Cymric has been dispatched to assist the transport Manchester Corporation, reported on January 13, in latitude .03 south and longtitude .08 west, with two of her propeller blades lost. The American hospital ship reception was largely attended. Many ladies were present.

THE REPUBLICAN CONVENTION

WILL BE HELD IN INDIANAPOLIS MAY 16 AND 17.

The New State Committee Organizes With C. S. Hernley and Warren Bigler in Charge.

Indianapolis, Jan. 24.—The reorganization of the republican state committee occurred yesterday and the following officers were elected:

Chairman—Charles S. Hernley.

Vice Chairman—Joseph B. Kealing, Indianapolis.

Secretary—Warren Bigler, Wabash.

Treasurer—H. W. Bennett, Indianapolis.

Nat U. Hill, of Bloomington, had been selected for the vice chairmanship without consulting him and he sent word yesterday that he could not accept the position. Joseph B. Kealing, of this city, was then selected for the position by acclamation.

The time for holding the state convention was discussed and the date fixed for May 16 and 17. The basis of representation will be one delegate for every 200 votes and fraction over 100 votes cast for Union B. Hunt for secretary of state in 1898.

The district committeemen gave a report of their districts and it was decided to begin an early campaign.

The candidacy of Congressman Landis for the governorship seems to be the most perplexing question with the republicans now, and it is said that he will not formally announce his candidacy until after the congressional convention in his own district. He is looked upon, however, as an active candidate and his friends are quietly working for him. Congressman James E. Watson is still looked upon as a prospective candidate, and it is known that the movement in his interest has assumed considerable proportions.

Chairman Hernley will not appoint his advisory and executive committees for about ten days. It is understood that there will be several changes in these committees.

RAILWAY MEN'S BANQUET.

The Chicago Railroad Y. M. C. A. at Garfield boulevard, near the Pennsylvania round house, will be reopened next week, and the event will be celebrated by a banquet next Tuesday, the affair being presided over by the ladies interested in the work. Secretary Burns, of the Fort Wayne Y. M. C. A., has received a number of tickets, good for a dinner on that day, and he is instructed to give them out to all Pennsylvania trainmen who apply for them. The management of the banquet want to see many of the Pennsylvania railway men there and promise to take good care of them.

HELD A BUSINESS MEETING.

The Catholic Benevolent League of Indiana held a regular meeting last evening at St. Paul's school hall and the organizing committee reported 163 applicants examined. The examinations will be completed within a short time. The committee on constitution was granted until the next regular meeting to make its report. Reports from those who are at work in different parts of the state announce that they are securing many members for the new organization. The next meeting will be held on Tuesday evening at St. Mary's school hall, corner Lafayette and Jefferson streets, and all members are expected to be present.

A trolley wire broke near Centlivre's brewery, at about 3 o'clock this afternoon, tying up traffic on the Spy Run avenue line. The repair wagon was immediately sent out to repair the break.

AN INDIANA VOICE

RAISED IN PROTEST AGAINST POLYGAMIST ROBERTS.

CONGRESSMAN LANDIS HEARD

WANTS THE MAN FROM UTAH EXCLUDED.

ARRAIGNS MORMON APOSTLE

A STRONG APPEAL FOR PURITY OF THE HOME.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The house resumed the debate on the Roberts case at 11 o'clock today. The galleries were again well filled, most of the occupants, as on yesterday, being ladies. Some minor business preceded the resumption of the debate.

The senate bill to grant an American register to the steam whaler, Bowhead, was passed.

Mr. Powers, of Vermont, was the first speaker. He urged in behalf of exclusion of Mr. Roberts. The contention of the minority for expulsion, he said, ran up against the very precedents which were cited in its support. It was the universal rule that a member could not be expelled for an offense committed prior to election. While it might be argued in Mr. Roberts' case that polygamy was a continuing status, the crime itself, the initial act, took place long before Mr. Roberts was elected.

"We are not separating wife from husband," said Mr. Powers, commenting on Mr. Roberts' speech of yesterday. "Polygamy has never been legal in Utah either before or after her admission into the Union. Polygamy was illegal under the common law of England. The moment he took wife number two the marriage was void. Mr. Roberts knew the law. He cannot plead the 'baby act' against the law and stern justice."

Mr. Snodgrass, of Tennessee, followed Mr. Powers, supporting the views of the minority in favor of seating and then expelling Mr. Roberts. If we were not to become the exponents of the French system of justice, which presumed guilt until innocence was proved, he said, Mr. Roberts must be accorded his prima facie right to his seat before being ousted.

Mr. Landis, of Indiana, a member of the Roberts' committee who signed the majority report, argued that Utah had violated her compact with the United States. There had been universal rejoicing in the land in 1896, he said, when Utah had been admitted in the Union. The people of the United States thought the birth of the state worked the death of the system of polygamy. Yet they were startled to learn in 1898 that Utah had elected as her sole representative in the house a polygamist and that he was moving upon Washington with a plurality of wives and a multiplicity of children. (Laughter.)

RECORDS OF THE APOSTLES.

Mr. Landis went over the record of the apostles of the Mormon church to show that most of them were guilty of continued polygamous practices. Some of his statements were sensations. He scored the church for its alleged faith, arousing great enthusiasm by his scathing denunciation. At the close he convulsed the house with his sarcasm. Of the fifteen apostles of the church when the proclamation was issued, he said, eleven were open violators of the law and three had undoubtedly taken plural wives since it was promulgated.

Mr. Landis said he believed, and that Mr. Roberts had not denied, that Margaret C. Shipp had become his plural wife since Utah was admitted in 1896. He paid a high tribute to the Christian missionaries who had worked among the people of Utah. Mr. Roberts, he said, had boasted that he had received the votes of the Gentiles in his district. That Mr. Landis said, was because he ran as a democrat as well as a Mormon and because his opponent "had been a Danite who had killed his man."

In concluding, he adjured the 2,000 polygamists in Utah to take care of their plural wives, but in God's name to refrain from multiplying their infamy by bringing more children into the world.

CAUSED A SENSATION.

Mr. Landis expressed his pity for the poor women who ministered to the rotten and lustful notions of the Mormon priesthood. He ridiculed the proposition to admit Mr. Roberts and then turn him out. The framers of the constitution in statuary hall would get down off their pedestals and laugh at such a procedure. It would be a burlesque on law and precedent and an outrage on common sense.

Not only should Mr. Roberts be turned back, but also Utah, whose people, he said, had solmenly lied to the congress of the United States in 1890.

In his peroration Mr. Landis protested against Roberts' admission in the name of the motherhood of the land and of the pitiful innocents doomed to the shame of illegitimacy. He got a whirlwind of applause when he sat down. The speech created a sensation.

IN THE SENATE.

Washington, Jan. 24.—When the senate convened today Mr. Hale reported from the appropriations committee the urgent deficiency bill and gave notice he would call it up tomorrow.

Mr. Allen offered a resolution calling upon the secretary of war for all information and correspondence relating to the administration of customs affairs in Puerto Rico, Cuba and the Philippines since the war with Spain.

Objection being made it went over.

Mr. Pettigrew (S. D.) offered a resolution that the United States government could not recognize the right of any nation to declare as contraband and seize food products as such and that any such seizure would be an act unfriendly to the United States.

The resolution went over under the rules.

The resolution offered yesterday by Mr. Pettigrew calling upon the president for the report of General John C. Bates concerning the treaty made with the sultan of Sulu was considered. The resolution recited the salaries paid to the sultan and his officials and inquired what fund they were paid from and what services the officials rendered.

Mr. Pettigrew supported the resolution in a speech. It was adopted.

MINING TOWNS BURNED OUT

TWO CAMPS IN COLORADO IN BLACKENED RUINS.

Town of Ward Licked Up by Flames —Coal Town of Lafayette is Reported Destroyed.

Boulder, Col., Jan. 24.—A large part of the town of Ward, a mining camp in the mountains, fifteen miles from this city, was destroyed by fire which started in the McClancy hotel early today.

The mills and mines just outside the town were not damaged, however. The loss will probably amount to $50,000.

A fire broke out also early today in Lafayette, about twelve miles from this city, and spread rapidly before a high wind. The wires are down, but it is believed that a large part of the town was devastated and several hundred thousand dollars' worth of property destroyed.

Lafayette is the principal coal mining camp in northern Colorado.

WILL BE MANDATED.

In order to stamp out smallpox which has appeared in many localities throughout the state Dr. Hurty, secretary of the state board of health, yesterday issued the following order:

"All boards of health shall, immediately on information from the state health officer that smallpox exists in their jurisdiction, act on such information without question, and they shall proceed without delay to enforce the rules of the state board of health which govern the situation.

"In the event of the refusal of any board of health to act on said information then said officer shall enforce quarantine against the whole region and shall immediately commence suit for mandamus in the local court and also file against such board of health under the law."

THEY MAY RESIGN.

Messrs. H. C. Berghoff and A. H. Dougall, experts who are examining the books of the Fort Wayne Gas company, threaten to resign. Mr. Berghoff said that the intimation made in the Journal this morning that the figures secured by the experts would be inaccurate was doing he and Mr. Dougall an injustice, and as many persons would be influenced by these insinuations, he did not believe, and Mr. Dougall was with him, that they would complete the examination. Enough is known to say that the reduction cannot be as great as the council ordinance provides, and the committee does not care to shoulder any of the responsibility.

MAYOR SAYS YES

EIGHTEEN CITIZENS VISITED HIM TODAY.

ADVOCATE LAW ENFORCEMENT

MAYOR CHARGED WITH KNOWING OF VIOLATIONS.

PROMISES TO INVESTIGATE

WILL ASK FOR AID FROM ORGANIZED BODIES.

Eighteen citizens, composed of nine ministers of the gospel and nine laymen, called on Mayor Scherer this morning and discussed with him law enforcement in Fort Wayne. The ministers present were Revs. Ainslie, Lake, Henson, Parr, Zartman, Leeper, Cissell, Moffat and Powell. Accompanying them were Messrs. D. N. Foster, William Mossman, S. F. Bowser, A. A. Maxwell, M. W. Fitch and four others. Rev. Ainslie acted as chairman and explained to the mayor the purpose of their visit. Rev. Ainslie told the mayor that he did not believe the saloon laws were being enforced and it was evident that his honor was not acting in good faith with the citizens.

Mayor Scherer told him that the laws in the city could not be enforced to the letter, although he had made an attempt to enforce them in spirit. He believed that just at present the law was being violated openly and intended to make a personal investigation and see that there was a stricter enforcement. Rev. Ainslie said that he has called at a saloon on Sunday and advised the saloonkeeper to obey the law. He could not see through the windows and went to the back door, which was opened to him. He had often talked to policemen and asked them if they had orders not to be too strict in the enforcement of law and was always told that they were expected to see that these laws were obeyed. But for some reason, Mr. Ainslie said, the laws were violated flagrantly and the officers knew it.

S. F. Bowser said that he knew of one saloon at the corner of Calhoun and Jefferson streets which was open almost all the time. One time he saw a young man enter the place about 12 o'clock on Sunday and stepping inside this same young man was coming out wiping his mouth, and to all appearances had just taken a drink of liquor. He importuned the mayor to enforce the law and said the people would back him.

The mayor said he didn't know that affairs were that bad and Rev. Leeper put the question to him whether he did not know the newspapers were continually calling his attention to the fact that the sumptuary laws were being violated. His honor replied that the newspapers were always having something to say to him and he didn't pay much attention to them, as they were not always right. They made mistakes, too. Rev. Lake told of an instance where he saw a saloon door swing wide open on Sunday and inside were men congregated at the bar.

D. N. Foster believed in being candid. He believed the mayor knew something of what was going on, but feared that nothing could be accomplished unless you could convince a man that his political interest would not be affected. The only times a republican had been elected mayor in Fort Wayne was when the fight was made on the direct issue, enforcement or non-enforcement of law. When it gets too bad the people vote it down. He believed the Sunday liquor laws should be strictly enforced. The mayor could enforce them and it was unnecessary for him to make a personal investigation as he had said he often had done. If the mayor told a policeman the Nicholson law must be enforced or his head would come off the law would be enforced, that was all there was to it.

Rev. Cissell told of an instance when he stood near a saloon on East Berry street at 2:30 in the morning and saw men enter. A policeman's attention was called to the violation, but the officer turned his back and walked away. He said that even now the pumping of a gas engine could be heard long after midnight next to his residence, and this gas engine was making light for a saloon.

Rev. Lake said that there was hardly a Sunday evening that some person more or less under the influence of liquor did not attend his church and the only disturbance had there recently was caused by a man who was drunk.

Rev. Henson was very pointed in his remarks to the mayor and did not beat about the bush in placing the whole responsibility for violations of the law on the mayor. He believed in being frank. They were visiting his honor today as citizens of Fort Wayne and knew when they came that the only man who had power to enforce the laws was being importuned to enforce these laws. He said: "We ask you to enforce these laws; we believe you can, in fact, we know you can. If the laws are not enforced you are the man to blame. So we come to you. There should be no 'chinanigan.' We will lay the blame where it belongs. Mr. Foster says that he represents one political party. He was raised in the north. I was raised in the south a democrat, but have always voted for men and not for party. This is not a party measure, but one of citizenship. You are to blame for the non-enforcement of the laws. You can say to a policeman, 'Enforce the laws,' and they will be enforced. We know it. We are men of common sense. The report has gone abroad that the laws in Fort Wayne are not enforced simply because you don't want them enforced. We come to you as your friend, as men who will stay behind you. If it is true that, as some say, you do not want to be re-elected and are therefore not going to enforce the laws, then I say to you that you are practically selling out. We believe you can, we know you can enforce the laws and we come here and ask you as citizens to keep the oath you have taken."

At this point there was a heated controversy between the mayor and Rev. Leeper, who had asked him if he hadn't sworn to enforce the laws. Rev. Leeper told of instances where old women had told Colonel Oakley before he retired that they prayed for his re-election because he enforced the saloon laws.

Mr. Foster said that a majority of people favored enforcing the laws, and the mayor had only to say they must be to have police officers do their duty.

Mr. Bowser said the mayor was no spring chicken in Fort Wayne and when he saw a man staggering along the street he knew what that meant. He said the mayor knew what happened when that man reached home. "You can bring happiness," said Mr. Bowser, "by saying to the police officers, 'You enforce the laws or your head comes off.' You are the foreman selected by the people to see that their rules are obeyed."

Rev. Parr said that for one he recognized that it was no easy thing to govern a city like Fort Wayne satisfactorily. There were two sides to the question. These gentlemen represent one element and there is another element which asks also for consideration. It is a big undertaking, a big responsibility. Mr. Parr said he sympathized with the mayor, but must say that the large number of men with whom he came in contact desired the enforcement of the laws. It takes a powerful man to meet these questions. If the mayor will only do his best there will be some men to stand by him. The laws were on the statute books, however, and he believed they should be enforced. For one he would be satisfied if the mayor would only try to enforce the laws regulating the liquor traffic.

There was much more discussion and his honor was told of many instances where he could find the lowest violations if he would not let the newspapers publish in advance where to make these investigations.

Mr. Parr said that he could do very much good by stamping out certain places.

The mayor said he would see to it that the Sunday laws were enforced, and in reply to the direct question as to whether he would enforce the law said "Yes."

The Sunday base ball question was touched on and the mayor said he saw no wrong in a ball game on Sunday. H. C. Berghoff here made a plea for the Sunday game as the only recreation the man who worked six days had. While it was admitted that there might be an honest difference as to the proper enforcement of the Sabbath the general opinion expressed by the ministers was that the law was on the books as the crystallized sentiment of a majority of the people and therefore should be enforced.

Mr. Bowser thanked the mayor for the audience he had given the good citizens and believed that much good would result from the conference.

On motion of Rev. Leeper the committee decided to go before the Commercial club and Mr. Foster's motion that the matter be brought to the attention of the Trades and Labor Council was also acquiesced in.

HE GIVES REASONS

WHY THE FILIPINOS KEEP UP THEIR FIGHTING.

SENOR MABINI'S STATEMENT

AGUINALDO'S COUNSELLOR TO THE AMERICANS.

THINKS WAR MAY BE STOPPED

WOULD HAVE CIVIL COMMISSION MAKE INQUIRY.

New York, Jan. 24.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says:

This letter, addressed to the Herald's correspondents in the Philippines, has been received from Senor Mabini, the strongest counsellor of Aguinaldo and his congress in Philippine affairs:

"Gentlemen: Convinced that you treat Philippine questions with impartiality, and with the object that the public opinion of your great, free and civilized nation may not be misled, I take the liberty to ask you to make yourself the echo of the following opinions through the American press:

"The Philippine people do not sustain systematic hatred against foreigners. On the contrary, they receive with pleasure and with gratitude those who really wish to co-operate for their liberties and prosperity.

"The Filipinos continue the fight against the Americans not by hatred but to demonstrate that, far from looking with indifference on the political situation, they know how to sacrifice themselves for a government which assures their individual liberties and is administered in conformity with the necessities and desires of the people.

"The present state of war does not permit the people to give frank expression to the manifestation of their aspirations, and for this reason the Filipinos wish ardently that the congress of the United States shall hear them before deciding upon their future.

"To this end the Filipinos ask congress that it either nominate a civil commission which may put itself in contact with the Filipinos who have influence in the pacific villages as well as the people under arms, or that it permit a commission of such Filipinos to go to America in order to expose the desires of the people.

"We hope confidently that when the Americans and the Filipinos know each other better not only will the present conflict cease, but also other future ones will be forestalled. The conscientious opinion of the masses in America appears to follow on their traditions, and these constitute for the present the only guaranty for the hopes of all honorable Filipinos."

WHAT THEY THINK OF IT.

A special to the Herald from Washington says:

"The proposition of Aguinaldo's agent for making the desires of Filipinos known to civil representatives of this government is perfectly feasible. It is all in Aguinaldo's own hands. He knows perfectly well the terms of peace, which mean surrender, acknowledgment of American sovereignty and the fullest measure of self-government, which will be framed after fully ascertaining the desires and capabilities of the Filipinos."

This was the statement made by Postmaster General Charles Emery Smith after reading Senor Mabini's message to the Herald.

Colonel Denby, of the Philippine commission, said that Senor Mabini was one of the most able Filipinos, and he regarded the fact that he had written the communication as favorable indication that the other administration officials read in a friendly spirit the message from Senor Mabini.

In effect, they say that Senor Mabini is requesting just what the administration has contemplated doing for the Philippines.

As to the suggestion for a civil commission, a cabinet officer told me that the president contemplated sending such a commission to the Philippines at an early date. In his message to congress he mentioned that it would soon be desirable to send the present commission or a part of it back to Manila, and this idea is now under consideration.

Concerning the visit of a Filipino commission to this country, the same cabinet officer said it would be the policy of the administration and congress to give a full and free hearing to leading Filipinos, and that congress at the proper time would doubtless welcome a representative body of men from the islands.

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CALL OF DEATH.

COMES TO A PIONEER GERMAN CITIZEN.

ULRICH STOTZ IS NO MORE

EXPIRED AT 1 O'CLOCK THIS MORNING.

WELL KNOWN IN FORT WAYNE

OTHER DEATHS AND FUNERALS OF A DAY.

Ulrich Stotz, for many years a resident of Fort Wayne, and one of its best known German citizen, died at 1:15 o'clock this morning at his residence, 206 West Jefferson street, at the advanced age of seventy-four years, eight months and six days.

The immediate cause of his death was heart failure, though Mr. Stotz has been lying critically ill some weeks. On New Year's day he suffered a stroke of paralysis, and since that time there has been little in his case that offered hope of recovery. He grew gradually weaker until the end came this morning. A life of thirty-three years in Fort Wayne gave Mr. Stotz a wide acquaintance, and few citizens of the city were better known than he.

Mr. Stotz was a native of Rosenfeldt, Wurtemberg, Germany, where he was born May 19, 1825. During his boyhood years he received an excellent education in the high schools of Germany, and at the age of twenty-six he came to America. Settling in New York city he engaged in the hotel business, which he conducted for a period of fourteen years. Thirty-three years ago, at the solicitation of his friend, Joseph S. Beck, of this city, Mr. Stotz came to Fort Wayne and entered into partnership with Mr. Beck in the brewing business in Bloomingdale. The firm was Beck & Stotz. Later Beck retired and Peter Certia, of this city, and Henry Ader, now of Chicago, with Mr. Stotz conducted the business. Mr. Stotz was in the brewing business a total of about five years, when he retired. The old brewery which they conducted burned to the ground about twenty-two years ago.

Twenty-six years ago Mr. Stotz engaged in the saloon business on East Main street, which he conducted until about five years ago, when failing health compelled him to retire. This was for many years one of the best known places in the city, and was the favorite resort of men well-known in Fort Wayne. In the building also were the headquarters of the "Square Table club," a social and political organization of much prominence for many years. Since going out of business some years ago Mr. Stotz has lived a retired life, being much of the time in very poor health. He was a man of enormous physique, yet notwithstanding his great weight, was an active man in health. Mr. Stotz was a man of fine education and many excellent qualities. His intelligence was of a high order, and his cheery, sociable disposition won for him the widest friendship. He gave liberally of his means to the aid of those less fortunate in the affairs of the world, and was universally regarded as an honest, upright citizen.

He was united in marriage in New York many years ago to Miss Eliza Hinges, who survives him. To them were born four children, all of whom are dead. Mr. Stotz was a member of the Masonic fraternity, but in deference to the wishes of Mrs. Stotz the members of that order will attend the funeral services as individuals, and not as a body.

The funeral services will be held from the residence on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock, conducted by Rev. Wambsganss, and the interment will be at Lindenwood.

MOORE.

Jeff Moore, an inmate of the Indiana School for Feeble Minded Youth, died Tuesday morning from pulmonary tuberculosis at the age of 19 years, 5 months and 22 days.

The funeral services were held at the institution today.

STACK.

Patrick Stack, the aged citizen whose critical condition was noted in The Sentinel yesterday, died Tuesday evening at the home of his daughter, Mrs. William Zuttermeister, 70 West Jefferson street, at the remarkable age of ninety-four years, ten months and six days. He was ill but a few days, and death was due to the infirmities of age. Mr. Stack came to Fort Wayne from Richmond twelve years ago, accompanying his son-in-law, William Zuttermeister, who came to take a position in the electric works. He leaves a wife, who is eighty-six years of age, one son, Robert Stack, of Goodland, and one daughter, Mrs. Zuttermeister.

Mr. Stack was a native of County Kerry, Ireland, and in early manhood was married there to Miss Mary Prindiville. Together they came to America about sixty years ago, settling at Lawrenceburg, this state. Here his wife died, and forty years ago he was married to Miss Ellen McCarthy, at Cincinnati. They resided at Richmond until their removal to Fort Wayne. Mr. Stack was a devout member of the Cathedral congregation, and it is worthy of note that throughout his long life he never used tobacco or intoxicating liquors in any form. His mental faculties were unimpaired to the last, and fifteen minutes previous to his death he conversed intelligently with his son-in-law.

The funeral services will be held Friday morning at 8:30 from the residence and at 9 o'clock from the Cathedral.

FUNERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

Bevelheimer.—Funeral services of Mrs. Isabella Bevelheimer will be held from the residence, 167 West DeWald street, Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The interment will be at Lindenwood.

Springer.—The remains of the late Mrs. Lavina Springer, 27 North Lillie street, will be interred at Heller's Corners. The funeral hour will be announced later.

FATHER HUNTING FOR HIS SON

DISAPPEARED THREE WEEKS AGO.

Charles E. Hunt Has Not Been Seen by Friends Since the First of the Month.

Charles E. Hunt, formerly a clerk in the ten-cent store of Seibert, Good & Co., has been mysteriously missing since the first of the present month. The lad is 16 years old, weight about 135 pounds, is five feet seven inches tall, has black hair and eyes, fair complexion, and wore a dark suit, tan shoes and black cloth hat when he disappeared. The wages of the lad had been reduced and he informed Mrs. Sites, with whom he boarded, at No. 307 South Calhoun street, that he was going to hunt for another job. She asked him to return whether or not he secured another place. Young Hunt is a son of Joseph Hunt, who lives at LaOtto, and when he did not return Mrs. Sites supposed that the lad had gone home. Last Friday a letter came to him from LaOtto and Mrs. Sites went to his home and learned that Charley had not been home since Christmas. The father came to Fort Wayne this week and failed to find any trace of the missing son. He has finally asked Superintendent Gorsline to assist in his search. The boy's clothing is still at Mrs. Sites' boarding house and inasmuch as no letters have been received from him it is feared that he may have met with accident or foul play.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

John Pfeiderer and Elizabeth Kaggelman.

MR. BRYAN SPEAKS.

Stamford, Conn., Jan. 24—William J. Bryan arrived here on the express from New York at 10:55. A big crowd had assembled on the depot platform. Mr. Bryan was hurried to a carriage and driven to the town hall, where an audience of over a thousand people had assembled, many of them workingmen. Within ten minutes after he stepped off the train Mr. Bryan had opened a speech that lasted over three-quarter of an hour, and barely left time for the party to take luncheon. The speech was about equally divided between the currency question, the trusts and imperialism.

At a meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E. of Christ's Evangelical Lutheran church, on Monday evening, it was decided to change the name of the organization to the Luther league. A committee, of which Rev. L. J. Metschman is chairman, was appointed to bring in a constitution and by-laws. The committee will report in a few days.

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PANAY IS OPEN TO TRAFFIC

OTIS REPORTS CONDITIONS IN THAT ISLAND.

West Part of Laguna de Bay Province Will Be Opened by the End of the Week.

Washington, Jan. 24.—General Otis reports to the war department today that the western coast of the island of Panay is now open for trade and that the coast of Laguna de Bay and the neighboring sections of the country will also be opened to unrestricted traffic by the end of the week. He also reports several minor engagements with the Filipinos, in which the American arms met with the usual success. The enemy lost heavily and a large amount of arms and ammunition was captured. General Otis' dispatch is as follows:

"Manila, Jan. 24.—MacArthur, 20th to 23d, reports four minor engagements, in which five insurgents were killed, several wounded and captured; also captured few rifles and other property; no casualties.

"Major Bishop, Thirty-sixth infantry, in North Sambales with detachment of sixty men, attacked two insurgent companies, killed nine, wounded and captured fourteen, secured twenty-two rifles, several thousand rounds of ammunition, two horses with equipments; casualties, three men wounded, one seriously. General Young reports action of Stover, Third cavalry, against General Tinl's force in north; inflicted very heavy loss on insurgents, in which twenty-eight killed. Dodd's troop attacked insurgents near Santa Lucia; killed six, no casualties.

"Reported from the south: Enemy evacuated Santa Cruz, supposed to be on eastern coast; that city in our possession last two days. Schwan believed to be in pursuit; no late report from him. Coast Laguna de Bay and neighboring sections of country opened to unrestricted traffic 27th inst.; western coast island Panay opened for trade."

AN OFFICER MISSING.

Washington, Jan. 24.—General Otis today cabled the war department as follows:

"Manila, Jan. 24.—Lieutenant Stockley, Twenty-first infantry, has been missing since the 12th instant. He was on reconnoitering duty at the Alisay, near San Tomas, Batangas, and was evidently captured.

"Search is still being prosecuted.

"Otis."

LOCAL LINES.

W. H. Eichhorn, of Bluffton, is in the city.

Mrs. Kirchner, of Bluffton, is a visitor in the city for a few days.

William Peters has been appointed administrator of the estate of Catherine Peters.

Thomas Gillis and daughter, Miss Helen, of Angola, are in the city for a few days.

Mrs. T. R. Marshall, of Columbia City, and Miss Finch, of Angola, are visiting in the city.

W. W. Thompson, of G. E. Bursley & Co., has received an opposum from a friend who resides a short distance out of the city. The animal was captured a few days ago.

Great interest is manifested in the revival meetings which are being conducted at the United Brethren church, on East Lewis street. A large number have been brought to Christ since the opening of the meetings. The meetings will continue until further notice.

Miss Hanker gave a german last evening at her dancing academy, in which about fifty couples participated. Many of the figures introduced have come direct from Germany, and were given for the first time in this city. The evening was one of highest enjoyment to all who were Miss Hanker's guests.

HUBLER UNION NEWS.

We had a very encouraging Sunday school Sunday. There was quite a large attendance of scholars and a number of visitors from the city.

Mr. Hubler is not improving much, as he is very ill yet.

Mrs. DeVilbiss and her daughter Allie are going to attend the institute at Huntington next Saturday.

Frank Trick, one of our Sunday school boys, is on the sick list.

Chauncey Poinsett has a new buggy. Now, girls, why would you walk?

Mrs. John Poinsett is on the sick list.

Mr. Cupery, one of our dairymen, took home a new horse last Saturday. He will deliver his milk in short order now.

Horse stealing is in order in our township, as Mr. Soest had one stolen one week ago last Sunday night. Allen McMaken had his mare taken out of the barn the same night and tied to the fence, but the thieves were frightened away.

In spite of the inclement weather last Thursday evening we had a very good turn-out at prayer meeting. The subject, "Sowing and Reaping," was spoken on by Supt. J. C. F. McMaken, Brother Binkley not being present. We are looking to have a bright meeting next Thursday evening as the school has purchased some new lamps and there will be plenty of good light. The question box was a grand success. Subject for next Thursday evening will be, "A Moving Foundation." Everybody invited.

Will Stockwell has returned home from a business trip in the east.

Sunday school next Sunday at the usual hour, 3 o'clock. Preaching one week from next Sunday at 2 o'clock by Rev. J. H. Evans, of the Evangelical church. Come and hear him.

TRAVELED IN DAY COACH.

New York, Jan. 24.—Wm. Jennings Bryan left the city today for Stamford, Conn. He insisted on going into one of the ordinary day coaches, declining a seat in the parlor car, saying that his ride would be a short one and that there was no need of straining at comfort for a short distance.

MADISON TOWNSHIP.

P. F. Hoadle is erecting his saw mill building. In the near future he will erect his tile sheds.

About eight cases of typhoid fever, which were reported several weeks ago in Jefferson township, are all reported getting along as well as can be expected. As yet only one death has occurred in that neighborhood, which befell Miss Ada Richard, the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Richard. She was sixteen years, one month and twenty-eight days old at the time of her death.

Grandma Mary Fry, residing near the German Lutheran church, is lying in a dangerous condition with lung fever. Grandma is among the old pioneer settlers. At the advanced age of eighty-seven years little hope is entertained for her recovery by her physician and friends.

Butchering season is here in all its glory.

Last Wednesday evening Mrs. Patee, the lady evangelist of Fort Wayne, who has been holding protracted meetings in the Massillon Lutheran church the past two weeks, closed her meetings. Much interest was manifested during these meetings and quite a number said by their actions they would turn from their wicked ways and seek Christ. Many of our citizens would welcome her return.

Miss Hazel Hoadle is afflicted with whooping cough.

In the case of Robert Mercer, guardian of Phoebe Van Horn, vs. James Van Horn, to set aside deeds, Judge O'Rourke decided in favor of the plaintiff. It is rumored that the case will be taken from the Allen circuit court to the supreme court at Indianapolis if a new trial should not be granted.

G. Brouwer has purchased forty acres of land from his uncle, Henry McIntosh, for a consideration of $1,575.

Albert Hearld's new residence at Upper Stingtown is rapidly nearing completion and will soon be ready for its occupants.

The Stringtown sawmill is again in operation. This is good evidence of prosperity.

The grade along the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago railroad line for the double track is rapidly nearing completion.

Homer Casleman, the noted stock buyer, of Monroeville, has accepted a position with the Bash company at Fort Wayne. Mr. Casleman will purchase hogs, cattle, etc., for that firm and is well equipped for the business, having bought stock over ten years in this section.

Col. and Mrs. D. N. Foster will entertain a company of friends on Friday evening.

NOTES OF THE DAY.

The Prussian income tax returns of 1898-99 show an increase of $250,000,000 over those of four years ago. The Frankfurter Zeitung estimates the increase for all Germany in the same period at $375,000,000.

The tide is very high and strong in the second Vancouver narrows, and the tidal power is to be used by the ex-premier of Prince Edward Island, who proposes to build a large electric power house there.

Brooklyn spends annually $1,593,750 for kindling wood. In addition to this $135,000 is expended each year for oak and hickory stove wood, making the total annual expenditure for this old-fashioned fuel $1,728,750.

Sixty-four boxes of Chinese bones will be shipped to China from Chicago in a few days. The bones have been disinterred from Rosehill and Graceland cemeteries for interment in the sacred soil of China.

A circular has, according to the Evenement (Paris), been addressed to all nonagenarians, soliciting their signatures to an address of homage which, with an album, will be offered to the pope next year.

New York has its first searchlight fire engine. It is the first machine of its kind ever constructed, and its great advantage is that it will enable firemen to overcome the difficulty of fighting fires in dark interiors.

A tank drama is usually so bad that it drives a man to drink.

Talk isn't always cheap—that is if it's over a long distance telephone.

When you are bored console yourself; you will have a chance probably to bore some one else before the day is over.

According to the London Standard the betrothal of Queen Wilhelmina to Prince William of Weid is definitely settled.

The Woman's West Side Republican club, of New York, has undertaken to see that the Raines' liquor law is enforced on Sunday.

The Philadelphia mint turned out 65 million dollars in coin last year, which would indicate that money is made rapidly in Philadelphia.

Lake shipping furnishes the cheapest transportation in the world, the rate being approximately three-quarters of a mill per ton per mile.

A Chicago company proposes to furnish electric light and trolley power for San Juan, Porto Rico, and all the country for miles around.

This year the United States will export about 200,000,000 bushels of its wheat crop, about 80,000,000 of which will be in the form of flour.

"Some women," said the Staid Britisher, "are like Boer batteries. When you think you have silenced them they break out with new and withering might."

A series of measurements made at Wellesley by a Yale scientist shows that western young women have larger heads and greater lung capacity than their eastern sisters.

The sum of $5,000 has been contributed by the Queensland government to the funds of the Antarctic expedition which is being organized under the auspices of the Royal society and the Royal Geogyraphical society.

In 1897 the herring fisheries of Germany yielded 67,652 tons, but under the encouragement of the government, in 1898, 128,758 tons were gathered, eighty-five sailing and five steam vessels being engaged in the industry.

Australian olives will probably soon abound in the markets. The tree, which elsewhere is slow in maturing, grows in Queensland almost with the astonishing rapidity of the eucalyptus, and needs no more care than a willow.

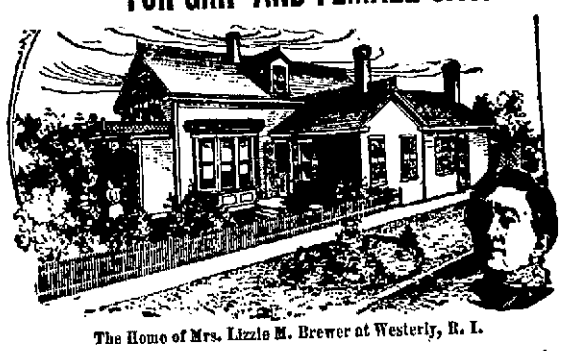
The native commissioner at Sebungwe, Africa, reports that the white rhinocerous is still to be seen on the veldt in the districts between the Sanyati and Zambesi rivers. It was generally thought that the gigantic animal was extinct.

At Rio de Janeiro a famous Italian faster has been unmasked. A physician found that he used fibrous meat compressed into the smallest size, and this, in connection with a small quantity of mineral water, was enough to prevent starvation.

Exports of cereals from New York last year aggregated 41,920,528 bushels, against 42,598,762 bushels the previous year—the banner year. Exports of petroleum during the past year aggregated 347,972,106 gallons, against 358,667,543 in 1898.

The Pretoria correspondent of the London Chronicle says: "It must have been the next evening, as we were waiting three or four hours, as usual, for the line to clear, that General Joubert came up in a special train. A few young men and boys in ordinary clothes formed his 'staff.' The general himself wore the usual brown slouch hat with crape band, and a blue frock coat, not luxuriously new. His beard is now quite white, but his long straight hair is still more black than gray. The brown, sallow face is deeply wrinkled and marked, but the dark brown eyes are still bright and look out upon the world with a kind of simplicity mingled with shrewdness, or perhaps, some subtle quality. He speaks English with a piquant lack of grammar and misuse of words. When I traveled with him next day almost the first thing he said to me was: 'The heart of my body is bloody with sorrow.' His moderating influence on the Kruger government is well known, and he described to me how he had done his utmost for peace. But he also described how bit by bit England had pushed the Boers out of their inheritance and taken advantage of them in every conference and native war."

MRS. BREWER RECOMMENDS PERUNA FOR GRIP AND FEMALE CATARRH.



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Deadly Snake in a Mouse Trap.

One of the most deadly snakes in India was caught by an army officer in a small mouse trap a few weeks ago. The officer, just as he was going to bed, noticed something dart for the door of his bedroom, and, thinking it to be a muskrat, he set the trap for it, placing it against the edge of the wall close to his bed. When he got up in the morning the snake was found with his head crushed in the trap.

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"Hell's Half Acre" is a name applied to one of the geyser basins of Yellowstone park. Its area is easily five acres in extent and from it bubbles about forty hot sulphur springs. All around these springs the soil is uncomfortably warm and gives birth to the idea that the internal fires of the earth are close to the surface.

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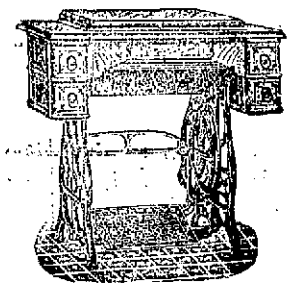

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LOCAL NEWS.

Mrs. Pace, of this city, is visiting friends in Bluffton.

Jacob Hallick, of Markle, transacted business in Fort Wayne Tuesday.

Miss Mabel Lawson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Caswell in Columbia City.

Miss Mollie Clark, of Peru, is the guest of Fort Wayne friends for a few days.

Miss Bertha Scott, of this city, is in Lima, Ohio, visiting with her sister, Mrs. David O'Rourke.

Miss Mary Johnson on Monday and Tuesday visited in Bluffton with her brother, Sherman Johnson.

James Case and G. W. North, of Columbia City, transacted business in Fort Wayne Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Inez Gross has returned from Churubusco, where she had been called to attend the funeral of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Dustman, of Bluffton, spent Tuesday in Fort Wayne with the family of Sheriff Melching.

Mrs. Noah Jorey, of this city, is visiting in Nottingham township, Wells county, with her mother, Mrs. Seth Meyers.

Mrs. C. E. Stoler and son, of this city, are in Kendallville visiting Mrs. Stoler's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Worman.

Misses Josephina Adair, Laura Kaler and Mary Meyers, of Columbia City, visited friends in Fort Wayne Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Anna and Julia McGrievey, of Lima, Ohio, are in Fort Wayne visiting with friends for a few days. They will go from here to Wabash.

Grand Master Workman Thomas D. Neal, of the A. O. U. W., and J. A. Dynes, member of the grand lodge finance committee, of Indianapolis, are in the city and will attend the burlesque circus to be given by Fort Wayne lodge No. 19 this evening.

Professor Thomas and Wilmer Leonard played an interesting game of billiards in the tournament at the Home last evening. Mr. Leonard played fast billiards in the beginning and had marked 65 before Mr. Thomas reached the 50 mark. Then the latter made a run of 27, the biggest of the tournament, and finally won the game by 140 to Mr. Leonard's 103. The loser's high run was 18. Mr. Thomas' average was 3 11-42. The game this evening will be between Mr. Davis and Dr. Thompson.

There is a handsome display of Alaskan curiosities in the window of the drug store of J. R. Heinrich, at the corner of Calhoun street and Douglas avenue. They are the property of a friend of Mr. Heinrich, who recently returned from Cape Nome. There is a large polar bear skin, the skin of a white fox, and a red fox, walrus teeth, spoons made from horn and bone, besides a number of articles of bead work and fancy baskets, made by the Alaskan Indians. There is also a fac-simile of one of the totem poles, for which Alaska is famous.

Philip Zorbaugh was in Bluffton yesterday visiting A. J. Tribolet.

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. George Krudop, of N. Eliza street.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Smith, of Chicago, are visiting friends in the city for a few days.

Charles Lorence, of the Chicago Times-Herald, is in the city today, transacting business.

Mrs. J. A. Clark, of Toledo, has returned home after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Jones.

John Vordermark, the mail carrier, was in Bluffton Tuesday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hunsicker.

H. S. Laurence, of Van Wert, Ohio, has returned home, having transacted business in the city on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fox and daughter, Miss Rose Fox, have left for Battle Creek, Mich., for a week's stay.

Miss Emma Wehmeyer, of Kendallville, arrived in Fort Wayne yesterday and will visit Fort Wayne friends a few days.

Section No. 4, of the Ladies' Aid society of the Third Presbyterian church, will give a social in the church parlors, on Friday evening.

Rev. J. W. Lower, presiding elder of the United Brethren church, is in Hicksville, Ohio, attending the funeral of his uncle, Rev. Janes Lower.

The Knights of Columbus are arranging to give an entertainment in their hall on Tuesday evening of next week. There will be card games, dancing and other amusements, and refreshments will be served.

The condition of Joseph R. Walters, who has been critically ill for some time, is much improved, and his attending physician is hopeful of his ultimate recovery. Mr. Walton passed a good night, and is resting easily today.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Brotherhood of Railway Trainmen will give a unique entertainment in the hall, 140 Calhoun street, on Thursday evening. It will be a "bloomer" social, and the ladies will be attired in the "rational" costume. This feature promises to be a great drawing card, and the success of the entertainment is assured.

Father M. J. Byrne, of Union City, is in the city for a few days. Father Byrne was formerly one of the priests at the Cathedral. He is spoken of for the irremovable rectorship, left vacant by the death of the Very Rev. John Campion, of Logansport. Father Byrne is one of the most popular priests in Indiana, and his many friends in the city are hopeful that he may be appointed.

NEW POSTAL CLERK.

William W. Cook, who has been transfer mail clerk at the Wabash depot in this city, has just received an appointment as railway postal clerk on the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, between Mackinac and Richmond. His old position is to be taken by J. H. Bolens, of this city, who has been a sub-postal clerk.

FERGUSON RELEASED.

Charles Ferguson, the man arrested in this city on suspicion of having been connected with the Silver Lake bank robbery, was released from the Warsaw jail Tuesday. The officers investigated the story he told and found it to be the truth. Frank Burt, the night watchman, insisted that he recognized Ferguson's face, but the evidence was so strongly in the prisoner's favor that the officers would not hold him. He was in Columbia City Thursday night and it would have been impossible for him to have been a participant in the robbery. The experienced officers are of the opinion that Burt was so badly frightened that he could not positively identify any of the robbers. Two suspects are under arrest in Chicago and an effort is being made to identify them. These two men had more than $1,500 in their clothes when arrested by Chicago officers in a Clark street saloon several days ago.

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Brain workers can get sure and understandable results by using Grape-Nuts.

CARRIED LIFE INSURANCE.

The late Bishop Rademacher carried insurance on his life aggregating $14,500, which is to be held in trust for the Fort Wayne diocese and transferred to the bishop's successor. It was divided in the following companies: New York Life, $2,500; Provident Savings, $5,000; Western Mutual Life association, $5,000; Catholic Knights of America, $2,000. The policies are made payable to the trustees named in the bishop's will—Bishop Richter, Bishop Horstman and Rev. Father Guendling, who succeeded Rev. Father Brammer.

NEW OWNERS IN CHARGE.

Charles H. and Fred C. Gumpper on Tuesday evening purchased the cigar and tobacconist business of George E. Belott, at 82 Calhoun street, and will continue the store under the firm name of Gumpper Brothers, with Fred C. Gumpper in charge. The new proprietors are popular young men and in their hands the establishment will doubtless enjoy continued prosperity. Within a short time Mr. Belott will go to Alaska to look after some mining interests there which he holds in partnership with a cousin and which promise most favorably. After a visit at Indianapolis and Chicago Mr. Belott and another gentleman of this city will leave for the north, and Mr. Belott's numerous Fort Wayne friends will cordially wish him unbounded luck in his new venture. He expects to return to Fort Wayne within a year.

Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup

The best remedy for Consumption, Coughs, Colds, Grippe, Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Asthma, Whooping cough, Croup. Small doses, quick, sure results. Dr. Bull's Pills are Constipation, Trial, 25 cents.

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We have on hand a choice line of goods for skirts that we will sell and make at reduced prices for 30 days. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry St. 27-tf

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A Smoking Jacket now. Our selling-out prices will please you.

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Specialties, music, lunch and dancing tonight for 10 cents, at 107-109 Calhoun street, auspices of Fort Wayne Ruling 662, F. M. C.

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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

JUDGE CIRCUIT COURT.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the Allen circuit court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

EDWARD O'ROURKE.

SUPERIOR COURT JUDGE.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the Superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

THOMAS E. ELLISON.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for judge of the Superior court, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

JOHN H. ARNIN.

SHERIFF.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Allen county, subject to the decision of the democratic nominating convention.

FRANK H. WHITNEY.

TRUSTEE WAYNE TOWNSHIP.

Editor Sentinel:—Please announce my name as a candidate for trustee of Wayne township, subject to the decision of the township nominating convention.

WM. GAFFNEY.

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A fine large barn; in best of order; will rent cheap. Apply 7 Monroe street. 18-6t

FOR RENT—A few good residences and two business rooms in this city. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

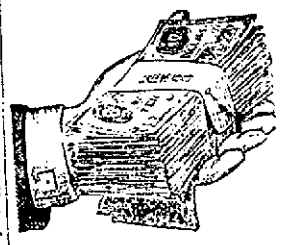
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished room, with board; hot and cold bath; terms reasonable. 29 East Washington street. 2-1mo

FOR RENT—If you want money on household goods see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 13-tf

FOR RENT—Lodge room can be had by parties desiring it on either Wednesday or Friday evening at very reasonable price; nice dancing floor in same building to rent on any Saturday afternoon or evening. Telephone 1082, new 'phone. 10-tf

FOUND.

FOUND—A white and brown hunting dog. Owner can have same by calling at S. Ganzer's grocery store, No. 287 East Lewis street.



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WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 146 East Washington street. 23t2

WANTED—Girl for general housework; no washing. Call 353 East Wayne street.

WANTED—Girl to make vests and work on coats. For particulars address Tailor, care Sentinel. 24-2t

WANTED—Ladies to do copying; wages, $7. Call from 9 to 12, Ward Bros., 313 South Calhoun St. 24-2t

WANTED—If you want to borrow money, see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, up stairs. 13-tf

WANTED—Two first-class advertising solicitors; permanent position to right parties. Address, Box 4, care Sentinel. 24t2

WANTED—To sell green trading stamp books and parts of books not redeemed. Address P. N. Cotter, Tiffin, Ohio. 16-6t

WANTED—A position by a boy of 15 years who is willing to make himself useful at any honorable business. Address "Business," Sentinel. 26-tf

WANTED—Business manager to take charge of a pleasant, profitable business; must have small capital; absolutely no risk. Address, Business, care Sentinel. 24t2

WANTED—To trade inside business and residence property in city of 5,000; exchange for Fort Wayne property; annual rental $600.00; will assume small incumbrance. Address X. Y. Z., Sentinel. 20tf

WANTED—If you want money on your household furniture, horses, carriages, pianos and other like security on easy payments, everything left in your possession, call and see us. The Reliance Loan Co., Room 6, Arcade, upstairs; open every evening. 18-1mo

WANTED—All afflicted with a cough of long standing, resulting from la grippe or weak lungs, or hemorrhages, should try my cough and lung syrup, an old Indian remedy, made of roots and herbs. It has never been known to fail. Call at 35 Fairfield avenue. 24tf

WANTED—Men—Our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach barber trade in eight weeks, furnish positions at $60 monthly, present outfit of tools, allow applicants to earn tuition and make special inducements to those from distance; mailed free. Moler Barber College, Chicago, Ill. 23-6t

WANTED—Girls for general housework; good wages; have two men wanting work as coachmen or any kind of work; can give best of references; man wants work as clerk in hotel or as packer in wholesale house; good reference. Mrs. Ellen Fitzgerald, 39 West Washington street. 16-tf

WANTED—Agents. 100,000 agents wanted at once, to sell Life and Work of Dwight L. Moody. Official and authentic edition. Written by his son, Wm. R. Moody, and Ira D. Sankey. Liberal terms, freight paid, credit given. Outfit free. Write today. P. W. Ziegler & Co., 324 Dearborn St., Chicago, Ill. 17-20-24-27

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FOR RENT—Furnished front room. 134 West Main street. 24-1mo

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FOR RENT—Large, light, well-furnished second-story front room in residence on W. Berry St., near Calhoun. Inquire at or address Room 4, Arcade. 22-e-o-d-3t

FOR RENT—Furnished front room, with table board for two gentlemen or man and wife; bath, hot and cold water; location best in city. 107 East Washington St. 24-3t

FOR RENT—Dwelling, 17 West Lewis street; 129 Home avenue; 138 Walton avenue; 106 Fairfield avenue; rooms, 59 West Superior street; 228 Fairfield avenue; 219 Madison street; 310 West Jefferson street. Schrader & Wilson, first floor, 7 Court street. 29-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Or Trade—80 acres good land for city property. Address Farm, care Sentinel. 24-6t

FOR SALE—A nice home on McClellan street at $2,100. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—I am offering College Place lots on West Wayne street at regular prices. W. E. Doud. 7-tf

FOR SALE—Nice six-room cottage on Gay street; near car line; water and gas; must sell. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Nice, new modern home, Washington boulevard; to sell quick at $4,700. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Five residences in Bloomingdale; prices from $1,000 to $2,200; all bargains. W. E. Doud. 7tf

FOR SALE—Horse, buggy, harness, sleigh, robes, blankets; owner leaving city. Call at 39 East Columbia street. 17-tf

FOR SALE—New 7 room cottage, Spy Run avenue, near bridge, $1,550. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—Residence and 55 foot front, on West Wayne; price cut to $5,250. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf

FOR SALE—If you want money on personal security see "ad" on second page, first column. Room 3, Arcade, upstairs. 18tf

FOR SALE—Or exchange, new business block on Calhoun street, $5,000; will take $1,500 in trade. W. E. Doud, over Old National bank. 7tf.

FOR SALE—If you want to buy a house, lot or farm; if you want to borrow money or want to sell property, see Bohlyn, Room 22, Bank block. 11-tf

FOR SALE—A farm of 95½ acres, two miles west of the center of Aboite township; 10-room house; other buildings good; well watered. Inquire John S. Occleston, on premises. 6-1mo

FOR SALE—The best residence property in the city; lot 75x150 feet; frame house, 13 rooms; good cellar; 2 large cisterns; well, city water; best of reasons for selling. Call or address M. F. Schmetzer, Room 12, Pixley-Long Bldg. 28tf

FOR SALE—Good 2-story barn, 35x23, and the lot it stands on, 35x145, S. Harrison street, one-half square south of Wabash freight house. Inquire at Corcoran's Drug store, near by. Cosse in property and a bargain. 27-1m

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1 case Men's 75c Heavy Fleece lined Shirts and Drawers for 50c.

Boys' good 50c value Underwear, 29c.

Children's Underwear at sale prices.

Ladies' 25c Wool Hose, 19c.
75c value Ladies' Corsets, 50c.
$1.00 Ladies' Kid Gloves, 68c.
39c Summer Corsets, 25c.
Men's 75c Colored Shirts, 50c.

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SCHMITZ BLOCK,
118 CALHOUN ST.

The Evening Sentinel.

BY E. A. X. HACKETT.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24, 1900.

TONIGHT.

Volunteers of America—Religious services in armory on Calhoun street, near Montgomery.

Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical Society—Regular meeting in Vordermark hall, No. 32 Calhoun street.

Hodcarriers—Regular meeting of Union No. 10, at No. 64 East Main street.

Clerks—Regular meeting of Union No. 10, at Shamrock hall.

Church of Christ, Scientist—Regular meeting in Harmony hall, on West Berry street.

Lodges—Fort Wayne Council, No. 4, R. & S. M., meets for work; Fort Wayne Chapter, No. 19, R. A. M., meets for work; Mechecaunnuchqua Tribe, No. 100, I. O. R. M.; Concordia, No. 228; Keklonga Council, No. 93, National Union; Eden No. 1, Adam's Royal Sons; Fort Wayne Lodge, No. 1547; Wayne Council, No. 35, Jr. O. U. A. M.; Royal League.

Masonic Temple—Week's events:
This Evening—Chas. H. Yale's "A Devil's Auction."
Friday Evening—"A Milk White Flag."

Buller admits that it is an uphill job to get to Ladysmith.

The trouble with New York democrats seems to lie in not knowing what they Mr. Bryan to want.

There seems to be a worthy intention to wipe out the plague in the Sandwich islands, if they have to sweep the whole bunch with fire.

J. B. thought when he took Oom Paul on at catch weights there was a holiday and some easy money in sight. He now realizes that the fight is bound to go the limit, with a division of the purse probable.

The fact that smallpox, either unmistakable or suspected, has appeared in nearly every section of Indiana ought to admonish every community to take no chances with the scourge. As we have heretofore pointed out, it is a heap better to err on the side caution.

Four thousand American school teachers are planning a trip to the Paris exposition in the summer. If the promoters of the big show desire to make it thoroughly attractive they will do everything in their power to induce the school ma'ams to come early and stay late. Certainly the United States could send no other exhibit better calculated to attract attention, nor one of which the American people could be more justly proud.

Georgia is indulging in a little variation of the race question. An exodus of negro labor to Arkansas and Mississippi, which began in November, has attained such proportions that several counties in the cotton belt have been half denuded of workers. The community is alarmed, and, in places, the movement is being checked by a shotgun quarantine.

Mrs. Catherine Smith has filed suit against the city of Columbus, Kan., for $15,000 for damages sustained by the habitual drunkenness of her husband, which she alleges is due to the fact that the city permitted saloons to be run in violation of the law. The proprietors of all the drinking places in town and the owners of the buildings in which they are located are made party defendants. Naturally the affair attracts great attention. One opinion is that Mrs. Smith cannot possibly win her suit, but others contend that if the city is not responsible for the condition of Mr. Smith the many laws restricting the sale of liquor are meaningless.

It is a long time since Germany has been so stirred as over the seizure of merchantmen by British cruisers and the subsequent detention. There was a great outbreak in the German press and in the centers of popular discussion, but it was not know directly until a few days ago how the government felt. The plain speech of Count von Buelow, minister of foreign affairs, to the reichstag was an event of conspicuous importance in international affairs. The speech revealed that Germany had made sharp demands, and that the compliance of Great Britain was in effect an apology. More important than that was the public warning that if Great Britain should repeat its acts toward German ships friendly relations between the countries would cease. All this on the heels of the great reception given to the kaiser in England. It is not surprising that the British press is stunned, and is uncertain whether to attack the apologetic British government or the enraged German government. And "the most unkindest cut of all" was when it was declared in the reichstag that England, now so insistent upon neutrality, had not been so careful during the civil war in America, as the Alabama case witnessed, and that for decades there was for that reason bitterness in America against Great Britain.

AGAINST THE WALL.

The London war office has been apprised by General Buller that he has advanced in front of the main Boer position and is at a standstill. To go farther means slaughter without gain. The Boer position is practically impregnable. Buller has come to the wall which he can neither scale or breech. He advises that he will try a night attack as the only expedient, for troops cannot live in an advance across an open below the Boer lines to reach the strong and perfectly defended entrenchments in the hills. A night attack is always of extraordinary hazard; the more so because of the danger of confusion and panic in which the fragments of a dismembered line are apt to fall upon each other. Still it is Buller's hope and he is the sort of fighter to try it.

The news from Buller will give London another fit of the blues after a week of suspense streaked with hope. The British advance since the Tugela was crossed had buoyed the belief that he might be able to reach beleaguered Ladysmith. The barrier he has encountered is just what was predicted. The Boers have retired, without making much resistance, to their main position, avoiding the risk of heavy losses and a weakened morale, there to wait attack, confident of the strength of their situation.

Parliament meets next week and the government's desire for the success so much needed is again defeated. If Buller cannot push through a new campaign must be planned, and that means a great prolongation of the war.

The F. M. C. social and hop is this evening.

THE INTERURBAN RAILWAY

TROUBLE TO GET FRANCHISE IN HUNTINGTON.

Commissioners Will Grant It on One Condition Which Company Did Not Accept.

The Indiana and Ohio Traction company is having trouble in getting a franchise through the city of Huntington. The trouble results from the demand of the Chicago and Erie railway that the tracks of the electric line be placed in a tunnel under the steam road where the roads cross. John D. Olds, of this city, who was present at the session of the commissioners Monday afternoon refused to agree to this proposition and withdrew his petition, intimating that the projectors would construct the line through Markle and the south part of the county. There is a general demand for the line among the farmers and residents of small towns in Huntington county. Residents of Andrews endeavored to get the consent of the projectors to build the line along the old tow path to Andrews and there turn south toward Marion. Citizens of Markle want the line and farmers in the south part of the county were importuning Mr. Olds to build the line near their farms. There are several roads by which Huntington can be reached and yesterday several of the backers of the proposed new road went to the Lime City to look over the ground and determine whether or not the tracks cannot cross the Chicago and Erie at some crossing more satisfactory than the one now suggested. The commissioners, it is understood will willingly grant the franchise and it is expected that a new application will be made as soon as another route into the city is decided upon.

ONCE A FORT WAYNE PASTOR.

Danville, Ind., Jan. 24.—Rev. J. H. Hull has celebrated his eighty-second birthday. He was the only son of a family of four children, and was born in Highland county, Ohio, January 18, 1818. His parents moved from Virginia in 1817, and entered a quarter section of land with a military claim. Mr. Hull, sr., died before John was old enough to know him, and a year later a man with an older military claim took the land from his widowed mother, leaving her only their personal effects. In his thirteenth year he was converted and joined the M. E. church, and two years later he began as a public exhorter. He came to Indiana in 1835, locating in Wayne county, and when nineteen years old he was licensed to preach. In the fall of 1838 he entered the regular ministry, uniting with the Indiana Conference. His first appointment was on the Winchester circuit, and his early experiences in the ministry were varied. He married Martha Avey, in Clermont county, Ohio, she dying in 1850. In September, 1852, he married his present wife. Mr. Hull has filled appointments at Muncie, Marion, Williamsburg, Richmond, Centerville, Cambridge City, Dublin, Fort Wayne, Lafayette, Greencastle, Roberts Park (Indianapolis) and has served fifteen years as presiding elder of different Indiana districts. His closing term as pastor began in Danville in 1884. About the third year he was stricken with paralysis, and he has since been on the superannuated list. He has been in the ministry for over sixty years. Since the organization of the republican party he has voted the straight ticket at every election, and he is a firm believer in expansion.

DETERRED BY A DREAM.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 24.—Tippecanoe county can, perhaps, lay claim to the only Indiana resident who, aspiring to political preferment, has been deterred by what happened in a dream. Peter Anderson, a well-known manufacturer, encouraged by some of his friends, decided to enter the contest for the republican nomination for commissioner. He announced himself as he came in contact with the people, and the Anderson enthusiasts were getting ready to take off their coasts in his behalf. Just then there came a halt, Anderson declaring all plans and aspirations off. He tells of it in this way: "I went to bed the other night, thinking how I could beat out competitors in the race. I fell to sleep, and then I fell to dreaming. The dream revealed that I could score a point by seeing a man at the top of the South street hill, and with a friend I started on this mission. We were in a dilapidated old wagon, to which was hitched a mule. Not the obstreperous, balky mule, mind you, but one that could cover the distance faster than most people care to ride. I thought the speed of the mule was indicative of my own speed in the race for commissioner. But something happened. The wagon struck an obstruction. Out I went, over the end-gate. My friend went into the ditch on the opposite side of the street. We were both bruised, but we gathered ourselves together and drudged up the hill in pursuit of the fleeing mule. When we got to the top the beast was out of sight. It was here that I awoke. I could not see my friends quick enough the next morning to tell them to count Peter Anderson out of the race." Nothing can induce him to change his mind.

NORTHERN INDIANA NOTES.

Andrew J. Carmichael, old and feeble, is still missing from his home in Blackford county.

Charles G. Conn, the instrument maker, of Elkhart, will make a display at the Paris exposition.

W. H. Curtis, the defaulting treasurer of the Butler canning factory, who absconded with a large deficit in his accounts, is supposed to be headed for the Klondike.

Patrolman William Munson, of Valparaiso, discovered two burglars in the act of attempting to enter Congressman Crumpacker's home. He used his revolver, but the rascals escaped.

Montpelier will soon have another bank. Dr. G. G. Shull, Dr. L. E. Maddox, D. A. Bryson, C. T. Neal and other local capitalists will be interested. The capital stock will be $500,000. The bank will open April 1.

Ex-Representative W. C. B. Harrison terminates his connection with the Goshen Democrat on Saturday to assume the city editorship of the Goshen Times, with which he was identified before going on the Democrat two years ago.

A large two-story brick business block on Warren street, Huntington owned by William Paul and erected by Levi Shutt, contractor, and completed last week, is now about to fall to the ground on account of the foundation walls sinking.

Rev. Mary Rheubottom, of Wakarusa, Elkhart county, the only woman preacher holding a charge in that section of the state, is at present conducting a successful revival near Pleasant Hill, Noble county. Forty-nine accessions have already resulted.

Charles B. Caldwell, school trustee of Jackson township, Pulaski county, has been indicted by the grand jury for soliciting bribes from school teachers whom he employed. It is also charged that there is a shortage in his school tuition fund. Caldwell has left the city.

Rev. G. B. Van Arsdall, who submitted his resignation to the First Christian church of South Bend, the vote for retaining him being 121 to 20, has decided to insist upon his resignation, which takes effect March 1. He considers that even the small opposition is too much.

Jacob H. Houtz, of Bluffton, the author of a farm ledger of which he has sold thousands of copies, has disposed of the copyright to the Home Educational society, of Iowa City, Iowa, receiving in exchange land in Phillips county, Col., and the agency for Wells, Adams, Blackford and Huntington counties.

A telephone message from the authorities at Elkhart to Sheriff Hathaway, of Auburn, said that a young woman giving the name of McKeefe had attempted to pass a check there, signed by C. E. McDonald, of Auburn. McDonald is city editor of the Daily Courier, of Auburn, and he knows nothing of the transaction. Besides, he has no bank account nor ever issues checks.

While workmen were repairing a break in the Indiana Gas and Oil company's pipe line, east of Logansport, lanterns ignited the escaping gas, causing a terrible explosion. G. M. Guy and Jacob Farenbaugh were hurled several feet, but escaped without a blister. A similar accident west of Logansport recently resulted fatally to two men and a suit for $15,000 damages is now pending.

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Owing to the increased demand, our supply of the following popular books is becoming limited, and we would advise those who wish to possess a copy to procure the same as early as possible. The price per volume is only 89c, and the titles are:

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"When Knighthood Was in Flower."

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THE PEOPLE'S STORE.

Miss Mabel Lawson is visiting friends in Columbin City for a few days.

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This Death-Dealing Disease Leaves its Victims Weak, Exhausted and Broken Down in Health. There is Danger in its After Effects.

LaGrippe is a disease of the nerves, and it tears asunder the very foundation upon which life exists. All the weak parts are made to suffer. That is the reason you are so weak. Your nervous system had a terrible shock. There are two results of grip that are seldom absent, and which cause more misery and suffering than all other after effects combined. They are nervous prostration and heart weakness. The heart is called upon to make extra efforts just at a time when its own vitality is lowest. The result is heart strain and the train of evil that follows it. Dr. Miles' Nervine is perfectly adapted to remove the after effects of LaGrippe. It goes straight to the cause of the trouble and lays the at the root of disease.

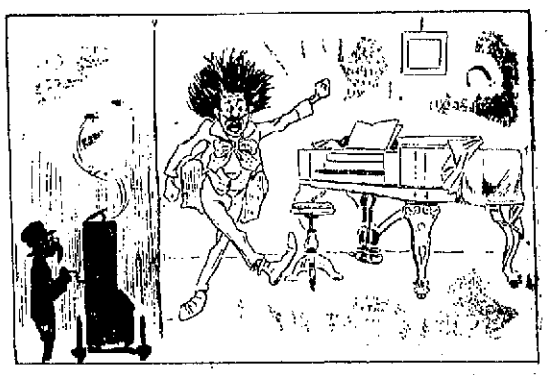
"I contracted LaGrippe last February and its effects upon my nervous system were so severe that I was prostrated for months. The only way I could get any sleep was by the use of opiates. I had a constant dull pain at the base of the brain, which would sometimes shoot through to my eyes and nearly blind me. I lost all desire for food, my digestion was very bad and my heart was all out of order. In fact I was generally broken down and became so despondent that my condition was desperate. At the end of five weeks I commenced taking Dr. Miles' Nervine and began to feel better almost at once. The first bottle helped me so much that I continued until I had used four bottles, when my health was completely restored." Rev. S. A. SHANABARGAR, Delington, W. Va.

Dr. Miles' Nervine

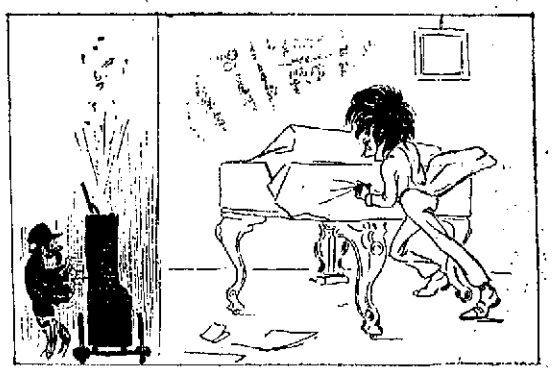
Is sold at all drug stores on a positive guarantee. Write for free advice and booklet to

Dr. Miles Medical Company, Elkhart, Indiana.

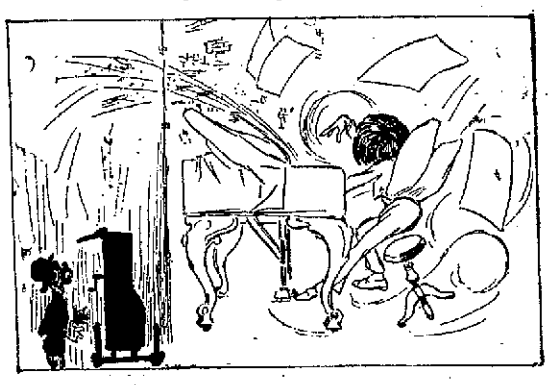
PEDEREWSKI'S REVENGE.



1—The organ grinder outside nearly drives him to distraction.



2—With a mad rush he pushes the piano to the window.



3—Plays a few measures of Wagner.

4—and the organ grinder flees for his life.

—OUR GREAT—

Semi-Annual Mark Down Clearance Sale

—NOW ON.—

365 Men's Overcoats and Ulsters at Cut Prices.

92 Men's Overcoats and Ulsters that sold at $5, $6 and $7, we will sell during this sale at $3.95.

81 Men's Overcoats and Ulsters that sold at $7.50, $8.00, $8.50 and $10, we will close out now, choice at $6.15.

89 Men's Overcoats, high grade garments, sizes somewhat broken and some of which sold up to $14, at $9.95.

100 Men's Overcoats, consisting of some of the best of this season's productions, they sold at $15, $16 and $18, choice now $11.89.

Nearly 200 of our Fines Men's Suits marked down from $15, $16 and $18, to turn them into cash quickly, to $10 and $12.

Mark Down Sale

In our Juvenile and Boys' Clothing Department.

Chinchilla Reefer Coats, with Velvet Collar, for boys 3 to 8 years of age, which sold at $1.50, will be sold during this sale at 95 cents.

Reefer Coats that sold up to $3.50, at $1.95.

Highest grade Reefer Coats, with Sailor Collar, which sold at $5 and to $7.50, ages 4 to 8, now $3.85.

One lot of Juvenile Suits, Jackets and Pants, ages 3 to 7; they are odds and ends and sold at $1.50 to $2.50, your choice during this great mark-down sale for 95 cents.

Boys' Light Colored Top Coats, ages 5 to 12, all of which sold at $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00, we will close at $3.85.

Choice of our $7.50 and $8.00 Boys' Top Coats for $5.75.

Your pick of the best Reefer Coats in the store, ages 8 to 16, for $4.95.

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It is the Best Perfumery in the World.
For Sale by all Druggists.

WAS INSPIRED BY AN ANGEL

TO GO FORTH, PREACH THE GOSPEL AND SAVE SOULS.

Result of a Dream by Samuel R. Hurdy--Will Begin His Evangelism This Week.

Goshen, Ind., Jan. 24.--Samuel R. Hardy, a farmer living near New Paris ,this county, has decided to forsake the plow and follow evangelical work, expounding a new and strange creed, originated by himself. Seven years ago Hardy became very ill, and lay for days in a state of delirium. When he recovered he declared that during the period of unconsciousness an angel of God appeared to him and remonstrated because of his failure in his earlier years to serve his Maker. To fully impress Hardy with his remissness the angel took him by the hand and led him forth through the heavenly gates, passing unchallenged by St. Peter. He walked the streets of the celestial city, the angel conversing with him and dilating upon the blissful condition of the dwellers therein. Hardy described in uncouth yet vivid language the streets of gold and the walls of jasper, and depicted with lively imagination the hosts of angels and the awe-inspiring presence of Jehovah. When the visit to heaven was concluded, he said he was piloted across the river of death to the place of eternal torment, and as he gazed into the bottomless pit, it was illuminated with a ray of white light, which exposed to his horrified view the anguish of lost souls condemned to endless punishment. He was adjured, by the angel, at the close of his experience, to go forth and labor among his fellow men; to paint the horrors of hell and the happiness of heaven, that evil doers might forsake their ways and be saved with the elect. On this condition his early life was spared, and he was commissioned to labor unceasingly for the salvation of sinners. Hardy was so deeply moved by this vision that on his recovery he wrote out at length descriptions of the things he had seen. He felt himself inadequate to the great work until now, when he received the command to go into the vineyard. Accordingly, he has had bills printed, advertising his meetings, and will enter upon a long tour this week. Hardy is a man of forcible character, about forty-five years old, has sandy hair and blue eyes and a rather intelligent countenance, while no one who knows him doubts his sincerity and zeal.

WHEN LAWTON WAS SCARED.

Many good stories about General Lawton have come to the surface since his death. Major Putnam Bradley Strong, who was on the staff of General MacArthur in the Philippines, says Lawton confessed to being afraid once in his life. That was when he was riding with his twelve-year-old son Manley past Paco cemetery at Manila. It seems that a Montana detail had just buried a comrade when a Californian burying detail came up. Somehow they failed to get cartridges and asked the Montanas for some. The latter had nothing but ball cartridges.

"Oh, they'll do," said the California sergeant.

"Ready, fire!" came the order a moment later.

The bullets went whizzing over the grave and over the stone wall, on the other side of which was riding General Lawton, his head only a few inches below the wall. The bullets made a breeze as they went past. "That was the only time I can remember being scared," said the general later, "but my boy spoke up and said: 'Papa, is this like being under real fire? If it is, I like it.'"—Army and Navy Journal.

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DR. C. C. BRISTOL'S
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Prompt, Powerful Purifiers
THE VERY BEST OF ALL BLOOD AND LIVER CLEANSERS.
ALL THE LEADING DRUGGISTS.

A WOMAN UNDER ARREST.

Alexandria, Ind., Jan. 24.—Mrs. John Wilson is in custody here, charged as an accomplice of James Broman in attempting to burn her home and murder her husband. The crime of which Mrs. Wilson is accused is a particularly brutal one. About six weeks ago the Wilson home was destroyed and in escaping from the flames Mr. Wilson was terribly burned about the face and body, in addition to receiving severe injuries on the head. As soon as he sufficiently recovered Wilson caused warrants to issue for the arrest of his wife and James Broman, a boarder, charging them with having thrown acid over him and then beating him until he was unconscious with the intention of killing him so as to secure his insurance money, amounting to $2,000. The physicians and nurse who had charge of him immediately after the fire say that his wounds smelled strongly of carbolic acid, and that they were unlike fire burns. Mrs. Wilson immediately disappeared, but returned last week and was living quietly with her mother until the police discovered her presence and arrested her.

MR. WAGONER GOES HIGHER.

William W. Wagoner, who for several years been local manager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable company and the Fort Wayne District Telegraph company, with offices in the Aveling hotel block, has tendered his resignation to take effect February 1. Mr. Wagoner leaves Fort Wayne to accept a position as district superintendent of the American District Telegraph company, with headquarters at Detroit. He will have charge of the state of Michigan, and the new position is an advancement in every way. Mr. Wagoner is an energetic and popular official, and his departure from this city will be greatly regretted. He was for twelve years with the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad as telegraph operator and train dispatcher.

OLD CIRCUS CLOWN DEAD.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Charles McCarthy, who was a circus clown more than forty years ago and known as the first man to turn a double somersault, dropped dead last night. It is supposed death was due to heart disease. McCarthy was 60 years of age. He was born in Utica, N. Y. His athletic feats attracted attention. He was a contemporary with Dan Rice and had been associated with nearly all the old time wagon shows.

NEED MORE ROOM

ASK FOR TEN FEET OFF COURT STREET.

BOARD RECEIVED PETITION

COURT HOUSE YARD IS MUCH TOO NARROW.

REQUEST MAY BE GRANTED

COMMISSIONERS WANT TWENTY FOOT SIDEWALK

The board of public works has received a request from the county commissioners for ten feet off the west side of Court street. The commissioners are desirous of constructing a twenty-foot flagstone sidewalk on the east side of the court house and as the building proper comes to the property line, it is necessary to get the consent of the board of works and property owners. Comments have often been made about the smallness of the court house yard and a ten-foot walk will not make a very presentable appearance to visitors Court street is sixty-six feet wide and the board of works is inclined to give the commissioners sixteen feet for a sidewalk. With a ten-foot sidewalk on the east side of the street there will still be a roadway of forty feet. The board of works is inclined to allow the property owners on Court street to decide the matter and have requested the county commissioners to circulate a petition among these property owners. The matter must be settled in the near future, as it will not be many weeks until the commissioners will commence to build sidewalks and construct the walks about the handsome new edifice.

CARE FOR GARBAGE.

There has been some complaint of the manner in which garbage, paper, boxes, etc., are scattered about the downtown streets and alleys. This morning Patrick Kane, of the board of public works, visited Superintendent Gorsline and requested him to instruct the officers to see that the ordinance was enforced, and furnished the superintendent with copies of the ordinance. Mr. Kane was of the opinion that if two or three arrests were made the merchants would be more careful in disposing of the debris from their stores. In many instances, he said, the boys were to blame, but with a satisfactory receptacle the lads couldn't get at the debris.

WEDDING ANNIVERSARY.

The tenth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Lapp was most pleasantly celebrated Tuesday evening at their home in Milan township, eight miles east of this city. About thirty-five guests were present and the occasion was in every way delightful. An elaborate supper was served and the evening was spent in cards, music and social visitation. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Lapp, Mr. and Mrs. William Lapp and Ferd Kaade, of this city, and Dr. and Mrs. Gilbert, of New Haven.

France has more persons over sixty years of age than any other country. Ireland comes next.

CARTER CASE AFFIRMED.

New York, Jan. 24.--The United States circuit court of appeals today affirmed with costs the decision of Judge Lacombe dismissing the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of Former Captain Oberlin M. Carter, of the United States engineers, convicted by court martial of frauds in connection with the Savannah river and Cumberland sound improvements. The decision was signed by Judges Wallace and Shipman. Carter is a prisoner at Fort Wilham, but has been sentenced to six years at Fort Leavenworth, Kan. He was also ordered to pay a fine, which he had done.

THE LAST DAWSON FIRE.

Seattle, Wash., Jan. 24.—Advices from the north received today substantiate the report of a big fire at Dawson. It occurred on January 11 and destroyed buildings and merchandise to the value of $400,000. The fire is supposed to have originated from a defective flue. The burned buildings included many saloons, restaurants, opera house, grocery and general stores and a branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce. There was no loss of life, but very little of the contents of the buildings were saved.

MYSTERIOUSLY MISSING.

Liberty, Ind., Jan. 24.—Emmett Stanton, a popular young business man of this place, disappeared four days ago in a mysterious manner. He had an elegant home, to which he was devoted. For some months he was engaged under Lon Beard, of this place, selling groceries around the country for a Dayton, Ohio, grocery firm. His affairs with this firm are all right. He was sober and industrious. Last Friday morning Stanton left home, telling his wife and mother that he would be back soon. He then went to the Liberty Union County National bank and drew out something over $100. No trace of his movements afterward can be found. Some of his friends think he has gone to the Klondike or the Philippines, as he frequently spoke of the fine opportunities these places afforded for making money. His wife, who is almost distracted, says her husband has met with foul play. This county, adjoining towns and cities are being searched for the missing man. The aged mother is prostrated with grief.

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A Sure Cure for Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Heart and Kidney Diseases. Cures Inflammatory Rheumatism Nervous Diseases.

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Don't Use the Knife.

A REMARKABLE CASE.

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Doctors gave her up as incurable and her jaw bone must be removed, but it is saved by the use of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops. The undersigned herewith wishes to say to Mr. Steketee and the public what a remarkable cure Steketee's Neuralgia Drops has done in curing the undersigned of Neuralgia. She had been troubled with pain in her jaw for a long time. I employed one of the most skillful physicians in this city. His treatment was of no benefit to me. He decided that my case was incurable unless my jaw bone was removed. I called upon Mr. Geo. G. Steketee for advice in the matter. He advised me after having examined my case, to use his Neuralgia Drops. The result of using one half bottle of said Neuralgia Drops entirely cured me, and without the use of a knife or sickness. I shall always recommend the use of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops to those suffering with pain.

MISS G. ROEST.

WORTH ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS.

That's what W. B. Bullington, of Mount Pleasant, Iowa, says to G. G. Steketee about his Neuralgia Drops: "Send me one bottle of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops and one package of Dey Bitters. Your Neuralgia Drops have done me one thousand dollars' worth of good."

ONLY A SAMPLE BOTTLE.

Mrs. A. J. Davis, Beaver Crossing, Nebraska, says: "I used only a sample bottle of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops. It done me more good than all other medicine I ever used. Send me a 50c bottle."

Ask druggists for Steketee's Neuralgia Drops. 50c by mail postpaid. Address
GEO. G. STEKETEE,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

Rev. A. Kriekard Was Cured of Neuralgia by the use of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops.

READ WHAT HE SAYS.

Dear Sir: In answer to yours of yesterday I would say, having obtained a permanent cure, as I stated, I have no further use for any medicine for Neuralgia, and I continue to recommend your remedy.

A. KRIEKARD,
Pastor Third Reformed Church,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

WAS ONE OF THE GREATEST SUFFERERS.

Mrs. Geo. F. Shedair, Grand Rapids, Mich., 125 State St., writes Mr. Geo. G. Steketee: "Please allow me to say that I was for years one of the greatest sufferers from Neuralgia. Tried remedies without numbers; many times found temporary relief. I learned of Steketee's Neuralgia Drops, and I want to tell you that they have entirely cured me. I wish all who suffer might know of your medicine."

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SPREAD IT FAR AND NEAR.

So Writes Mrs. Martha J. Hearrell, of Walton, Iowa.

Mr. G. G. Steketee, Grand Rapids, Mich.: "I used your Neuralgia cure for Neuralgia of the stomach, and find that it is all you claim for it, and more. It cured me after all other medicines failed. You can use this as you see fit, if you think it will be of any benefit to suffering humanity.

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A Good Word for Steketee's Worm Destroyer and Neuralgia Cure.

Mrs. J. A. Presley, of Duluth, Minn., writes: "I think there is no worm medicine that compares with Steketee's Worm Destroyer, and I can not say enough for Steketee's Neuralgia Cure. Six years ago I had neuralgia of the heart, and the use of it entirely cured me. I want the agency for your remedies, for they are what every family should have in their house. Ask druggists for Steketee's Neuralgia Drops. If druggist has it not, send 60c postage. Sent by mail. Address
GEO. G. STEKETEE,
Grand Rapids, Mich.

REWARD FOR A WIFE'S LIFE

COURT RULES THAT $1,000 MUST BE PAID.

A Frightened Husband's Offer Binding in the Law, the Judge Rules.

Kokomo, Ind., Jan. 24.—The case of William Rutherford vs. David Harvey was concluded in the circuit court here yesterday. Harvey is a Grant county farmer. In crossing the Mississinewa river last July a bridge gave way, precipitating him and his wife into the swollen stream. The horse was drowned and Harvey reached the shore with much difficulty. His wife was swept down the river, but managed to clutch the branches of an overhanging tree, where she sustained herself until help came. Rutherford claims that Harvey offered $1,000 to any one who would rescue his wife. It was after nightfall and the river was in flood. Rutherford, at great peril, he says, plunged in and brought the woman to shore. Harvey then refused to pay the reward. The case was sent here from Grant county. The jury found for Rutherford, giving him the full amount of demand.

DAWKINS.

There are quite a few sick around here at present.

The roads are so bad that it is nearly impossible to get around.

Mrs. Kate Collett has left J. A. Collett and gone home to her folks in Jay county.

Miss Mable Hale is visiting with A. W. Greggs for a few days.

Lum Croy has returned from Michigan.

Robert Porter is getting ready to move to the northern part of Michigan.

There is some talk of G. W. Ruble going into a butcher shop at Woodburn.

Ed Preast has sold his herd of ponies about all off.

G. E. Bauserman and wife spent a few days of last week in Fort Wayne visiting with friends.

A. W. Gregg has sold his timber to the Smith company, at Baldwin.

Jim Dawkins is sick with the rheumatism.

It is said that a new industry is that of lullaby singers. Young women who are studying vocal music often turn their growing talent to small account at least by going to nurseries two or three times a week to sing to the children at bedtime hour soft, crooning lullabies.

Yes, Percy, it is al bright to call bar room discussion joint debates.

One Bottle Brings Youthful Health.

Prinley, Tenn., July 20, 1899.

I have used one bottle of Wine of Cardui; but it has done me more good than any other medicine I have ever taken. I feel like a new woman. I can highly recommend Wine of Cardui above all other medicines.

Mrs. L. S. REDDEN.

WINE OF CARDUI

The charm of youth is too often lost by abuse and neglect. Nature resents neglect. When a slight menstrual disorder first appears, it causes little inconvenience, and a woman thinks that it will soon pass away. But as the years pass, the sparkling eyes dim, the rosy cheeks sallow, and girlhood's buoyant health gives way to woman's suffering and despair. She looks back over the past, envious of the joys of her childhood. It is the health she has lost that she craves.

To such women Wine of Cardui comes bringing perfect relief. The relief is speedy. It is permanent. It was this simple vegetable remedy which made Mrs. Redden "a new woman". Relief after taking this remedy provided by Nature is as sure as Nature's laws are unvarying. Pains in the back and hips disappear when Wine of Cardui is taken. In relieving failing of the womb and irregular menstruation it stops the unnatural drain upon the nervous system. Immediately there returns the ruddy health and rosy cheeks of years ago. Wine of Cardui fills out the wan cheek, puts a sparkle in the eye and smooths the wrinkles of care from the brow. Take it and in two weeks you will feel like Mrs. Redden feels. She felt like a well woman after using ONE bottle. A day's delay is simply another day's unnecessary suffering. You can start now to be well by taking Wine of Cardui.

For advice in cases requiring special directions, address, giving symptoms, the "Ladies' Advisory Department," The Chattanooga Medicine Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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All those indebted to us will please call and settle.

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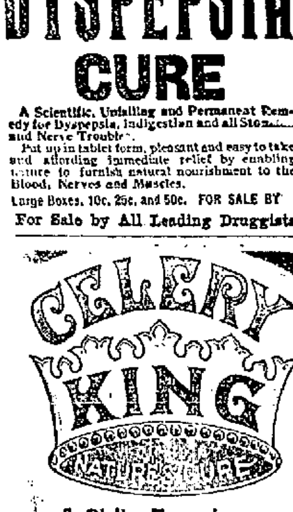

A Girl's Experience.
My daughter's nerves were terribly out of order. She was thin and weak; the least noise startled her, and she was wakeful at night. Before she had taken one package of Celery King the change in her was so great that she could hardly be taken for the same girl. She is rapidly growing well and strong, her complexion is perfect, and she sleeps well every night.—Mrs. Lucy McNutt, Brush Valley, Pa.
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GRAND RAPIDS & INDIANA Ry.
In effect Oct. 19, 1899.
NORTH BOUND.
*For Grand Rapids and north ... 2 20 a.m
† " " " " ... 8 50 a.m
† " " " " ... 4 25 p.m
†From Richmond arrives ... 8 40 a.m
SOUTH BOUND.
*For Richmond and Cincinnati ... 12 25 a.
† " " " ... 7 15 a.m
† " " " ... 12 35 p.m
†From Grand Rapids arrives ... 7 00 p.m
*Daily †Daily except Sunday.

WABASH
Time Table Effective November, 26, 1899, From Fort Wayne,
GOING EAST.
No. 2 Fast Eastern Express, daily ... 5 10 a.m
No. 6 New England Fast Mail daily ... 11 55 a.m
No. 24 Atlantic Express ... 6 46 p.m
GOING WEST.
No. 7 Kansas City Cannon Ball, daily .. 10 02 a.m
No. 5 Government Fast Mail, daily ... 5 42 p.m
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arr. Cincinnati (via. C. H. D.) 4:55 p.m
arr. Columbus (via. T. & O. C.) 2:05 p.m
WEST BOUND.
" " 1:20 p.m. arr. Fort Wayne 4:00 p.m
" Columbus (via. T. & O. C.) arr Ft. W 4:00 p.m
All trains daily except Sunday.

Lake Shore & Michigan Southern Railway—Fort Wayne Branch

SOUTHWARD.	ARRIVE
No. 452 Way Freight	2 50 p.m
No. 456 Cin. Express and Mail	10 50 a.m
No. 410 Detroit and Ind'pls Express.	3 50 p.m
NORTHWARD.	DEPART
No. 453 Way Freight	5 55 a.m
No. 455 Through Express & Mail	11 45 a.m
No. 419 Detroit and Ind'pls Express	4 40 p.m

L. E. & W. TIME TABLE.
SOUTH.
No. 41 leaves (except Sunday) ... 7 10 a.m
No. 43 daily ... 4 15 p.m
No. 171 Local Freight ... 5 30 a.m
NORTH.
No. 40 arrives daily ... 11 45 a.m
No. 42 (daily except Sunday) ... 10 25 p.m
No. 170 Local Freight ... 4 40 p.m

OFFICIAL COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS.

The Common Council of the city of Fort Wayne met in the council chamber Tuesday evening, January 23rd, A. D., 1900, in regular session. His Honor, Mayor Scherer, in the chair, and H. B. Monning, Clerk, at the desk, and present the following members, 17, viz:

Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz and Zurbuch.

Absent, 3, viz: Councilmen Gerding, Miller and O'Ryan.

The minutes of the last regular session having been delivered to the councilmen, were amended on motion of Councilman Poirson by changing the vote on the gas ordinance, where on the motion to refer it to the committee of the whole Councilman Poirson voted aye and was recorded nay, and Councilman Miller was recorded aye and voted nay. When so changed the minutes were approved.

MAYOR'S COMMUNICATION.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, CITY HALL.
FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 18, 1900.
To the Members of the Common Council:
Gentlemen: I have approved the following ordinances passed at your session of January 9th, 1900:

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 156.
An ordinance appropriating $111.25 from garbage account to maintenance and repair of streets and $23.61 from the same account to parks.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 157.
An ordinance appropriating $73.15 to miscellaneous claim account.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 147.
An ordinance regulating the use of streets and alleys.

Ordinance No. 148 I will not approve. My reason is that the enforcement of it would materially interfere with the business interests of the city, especially parties engaged in the wholesale business. I believe that an ordinance limiting the rate of speed to six miles an hour to some of the conveyances mentioned in the ordinance would be more acceptable to the general public, and would meet with a more general approval. There are parts of it to which I have no objection, but as a whole I will not approve it.
HENRY P. SCHERER, Mayor.

Approved except that part referring to veto and spread upon record.

REPORT OF WATER WORKS TRUSTEES.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Gentlemen: Following is the report of the financial condition of the water works department for the month of December, 1899:

RECEIPTS.

Water rents	$1,972 15
Meter rents	5 86
Special revenue	2 01
Penalties	1 06
Meters	110 03
Pipes	27 78
Services	98 93
Total revenue	$2,247 07
Am't on hand as per last report	72 96
Total cash for the month	$2,320 03
Deposited with treasurer	2,310 03
Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1900	10 00

HEADQUARTERS SION S. BASS POST, NO. 40.
Department of Indiana, G. A. R.,
FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 13, 1900.
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council of the City of Fort Wayne.
Gentlemen: At an open meeting of the above named post, held Friday evening, Jan. 12th, 1900, Comrade Harry T. Hite offered the following resolutions which were seconded by Comrade John A. Soliday and were unanimously adopted:

Resolved, That the thanks of this post are due and are hereby tendered to the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, for its action in naming one of the city parks in honor of Henry W. Lawton, late a comrade of this post, and major general of volunteers, U. S. A., who was killed in the line of duty in defense of his country's flag at San Mateo, Luzon, Philippine Islands, December 19, 1899.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the honorable mayor and common council of the city.

In compliance therewith I transmit a copy of said resolution.
Yours very respectfully,
A. W. PIERCE, Commander.
Attest:
JOHN A. SOLIDAY, Adjutant.
SYLVESTER M'MAHON.

Resolved, That the thanks of this post are due and are hereby tendered to the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, for its action in naming one of the city parks in honor of Henry W. Lawton, late a comrade of this post, and major general of volunteers, U. S. A., who was killed in the line of duty at San Mateo, Luzon, Philippine Islands, December 19th, 1899.

Resolved, That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to the honorable mayor and common council of the city.
Respectfully submitted,
HARVEY T. HITE.
Seconded by John A. Soliday.

Received and spread upon record. The clerk was instructed to acknowledge receipt of same.

DISBURSEMENTS.

City treasurer's fund as per last report	$ 542 52
Deposited during month	2,310 03
Total water works fund	$2,852 55
Orders drawn on account of	
Pumping service No. 1	$1,061 67
Pumping service, No. 2	738 62
Officers' salaries	521 66
Trustees' salaries	125 00
Services	123 18
Valves	11
Hydrants	13 25
Pipe laying	2 50
Reservoir	100 00
Engine house No. 2	3 00
Engine boilers Station 1	115 18
Meters	4 80
Engine boilers Station 2	31 50
Hydrant repairs	21 20
Stable	27 19
Total	$2,255 15
To balance	$ 402 30

Respectfully submitted,
WM. TAGTMEYER,
MURRAY HARTNETT,
P. J. SINGLETON,
Trustees Water Works.
Referred to committee on water works.

REPORT OF COMPTROLLER.

I herewith submit my fourth quarterly report of General Appropriation Amount and Special Funds from January 1st, 1899, to January 1st, 1900.

GENERAL FUNDS.

Cash in treasury Jan. 1, 1899	$ 73,509 43
Receipts—Sundries	39,705 72
Taxes	204,178 81
Total	$317,393 96
Warrants drawn	213,249 56
Balance in treasury	$74,144 40

SPECIAL FUNDS.

Cash in treasury Jan. 1, 1899	$ 33,158 08
Receipts—Sundries	277 59
Taxes	20,713 80
Total	$ 54,149 47
Warrants drawn	38,007 46
Balance in treasury	$16,142 01
Total funds on hand,	$90,286 41

GENERAL APPROPRIATION ACCOUNT.

	Annual appropriations	Warrants drawn	Balance in funds
Salary of officers clerks	$20,575	$20,375	$ 200
Incidentals finance	500	498 48	1 52
Miscellaneous claim account	1,569 01	1,564 04	4 97
Interest	36,491	35,515 50	975 50
Incidentals law	500	399 05	100 95
Revision of Ordinances	2,000	201 13	1,798 87
Advertising Printing	1,100	1,072 28	27 72
Blank books and stationery	600	549 99	50 01
City hall	2,300	2,278 15	21 85
Expenses city civil engineer	2,170	2,046 94	123 06
Garbage acc't	7,000	6,761 32	235 68
Furniture and fixtures	350	3 20	346 80
Public grounds and bldgs	2,100	2,098 65	1 35
Public lights	29,180	29,126 44	53 56
Sewer repairs	2,500	2,499 84	16
Sewers new	6,000	4,256 45	1,743 55
Street clean'g	9,500	9,498 75	1 25
Maintenance and repair of sts.	3,614 20	3,551 86	62 34
Maintenance and repair of sts. special	8,788 09	8,788 09	
Additional clerical force board of public works	650	596 80	53 20
Bridges	500	429 60	70 40
Parks	10,023 61	10,023 61	
Insurance	732	732	
New streets	25,000	18,662 19	6,337 81
Fountains	200	190 45	9 55
Fire force account	9,400	8,877 88	522 12
Fire force pay roll	42,460	38,513 03	3,946 97
Police force pay roll	28,520	28,120 46	399 54
Police fee acct	900	869 64	30 36
Weighmaster's salary	727	715 40	11 60
Poundmaster's salary	540	540	
Marketmaster's salary	300	300	
San'ary police	1,620	1,503	1,700
Prevention of Contagious disease	1,500	715 35	784 65
Bacteriologist	1,200	1,200	
Incidentals board of health	200	43 25	156 75
SPECIAL ACCOUNTS.			
Sinking funds	$11,500	$4,735	6,765 17
Street special	510 63	211 50	299 13
Firemen's Pension funds	3,479 30	2,362 99	1,116 31
Monument funds	2,611 85		2,611 85
Electric construction funds	5,918 22		5,918 22

HENRY C. BERGHOFF, Comptroller.

Referred to committee on finance.

REPORT OF FINANCE COMMITTEE.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 22, 1900.
To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.
Gentlemen: Your committee to whom was referred the communication of the comptroller and board of public works in reference to appropriation of $701.00 for the opening of Fourth street respectfully report in favor of the ordinance and would also urge the board of public works to push the opening of said street as soon as possible.

The city comptroller is also hereby instructed to place tender of the money in the hands of the county clerk if not accepted by the railroad company.

The communication of the city attorney and the ordinance appropriating $206.20 for the purpose of paying judgment against the city in favor of Walter Burkholder.

We also report in favor of and recommend that the ordinance pass.
SYLVESTER M'MAHON,
CHARLES HAAG,
PETER F. POIRSON,
H. BORKENSTEIN,
P. J. SCHEID,
Committee.
Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON RULES, REGULATIONS AND ORDINANCES.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Jan. 15, 1900.
To His Honor the Mayor and Common Council.
Gentlemen: Your committee on rules, regulations and ordinances to which were referred:
1st. The ordinance regulating the use of bridges within the corporate limits of the city.
2nd. The ordinance regulating the construction of vaults.
3rd. The ordinance regulating the construction and uses of sidewalks within the corporate limits of the city, respectfully report in favor of the same and recommend that the ordinances pass.
JOHN J. BAUER,
JOSEPH P. ZURBUCH,
A. W. CLARK,
C. H. BUHR,
Committee.
Concurred in.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WATER WORKS.

To the Honorable Mayor and Common Council.
Gentlemen: We, your committee on water works, to whom was referred the report of the water works trustees for the month of November, 1899, respectfully report that we have examined the same and find it correct with the books in their respective office.
P. J. SCHEID,
H. BORKENSTEIN,
JOHN J. BAUER,
A. W. CLARK,
C. H. BUHR,
Committee on Water Works.
Concurred in.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 158.
An ordinance appropriating $701.00 to street opening account:
Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that $701.00 be and the same are hereby appropriated to street opening account for the opening of Fourth street.
Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.
SYLVESTER M'MAHON.
The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes, 17, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.
Nays: None.

APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE NO. 159.
An ordinance appropriating $206.20 for the payment of judgment against the city in favor of Walter Burkholder.
Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, that the comptroller is hereby authorized to appropriate $206.20 to pay a judgment of said amount to Walter Burkholder against said city.
Sec. 2. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and approval by the mayor.
SYLVESTER M'MAHON.
The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes, 17, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.
Nays: None.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 149.
An ordinance regulating the construction and uses of sidewalks within the corporate limits of the city of Fort Wayne.
Section 1. All sidewalks on Calhoun street from the New York, Chicago and St. Louis R. R. to the Pittsburg, Fort Wayne and Chicago R. R.; Columbia and Main streets from Harrison to Barr; Berry from Calhoun to Clinton streets, and Court street, shall be constructed of sound flagging stone, and no other material shall be used on such street for such purposes, except by express order of the board of public works.
Sec. 2. The grade for sidewalks shall be given by the city civil engineer under the supervision of the board of public works, and when once a grade for an improvement is approved by said board of public works the same shall be the established grade.
When any person shall build or assist in building any sidewalk when no grade has been established, or without first obtaining a grade therefor, from the city civil engineer, or who shall build or assist in building any sidewalk contrary to any grade which may be hereafter established by the board of public works, or contrary to any of the provisions of this ordinance, he shall in either case be subject to a forfeit and pay ten dollars for every day of such offense, and a like forfeiture and payment for every day he shall fail to remove and reconstruct the same after notice by the board of public works.
Sec. 3. No cellar doors shall rise or project above the sidewalk; nor shall the hinges thereof or any other thing connected therewith project or else above the door, or shall any staple, lock or any other fastening be placed upon the upper side thereof.
Sec. 4. All awnings shall be constructed of cloth and the frames shall be elevated at least eight feet and curtain seven feet at the lowest part thereof above the sidewalk, and shall not project over the same to exceed three-quarters of the width thereof. They shall be supported without posts, by iron brackets or by an iron frame work attached firmly to the building, so as to leave the sidewalk entirely unobstructed thereby. All awnings heretofore erected contrary to the provisions of this section shall be removed by the owner thereof by three days' notice from the superintendent of police, for such owner to remove the same. And if such owner shall fail or refuse to comply with such notice he shall be subject to the penalty herein after provided.
Sec. 5. No person or persons receiving or delivering goods, wares, or merchandise, shall place or keep upon or shall suffer to be placed or kept upon such sidewalk in the city, any goods, wares or merchandise, which he or they shall be receiving or delivering, without leaving a passageway clear for pedestrians of not less than six (6) feet in width, and no person or persons receiving or delivering such goods shall suffer the same to be or remain upon such sidewalk for longer than five (5) hours.
Sec. 6. No person or persons, whether licensed as an auctioneer or not, shall sell or attempt to sell, or shall cry for sale at public auction in the city, any goods, chattels or personal property whatever, to any person or persons, so as to collect a crowd of people upon streets or sidewalks of the city, whereby the free passage thereof of any person or persons is prevented or hindered.
Sec. 7. No person shall ride, drive, lead, push, draw, or back any horse, wagon, cart or other vehicle over any sidewalk, or use, ride or drive any horse, wagon, sled, or sleigh thereon except at public or private crossings. PROVIDED, that whenever from want of an alley adjacent to any lot or part of lot, there be no convenient access thereto, otherwise than by crossing such sidewalk, it shall be lawful for the owner or occupant of such lot or part of lot, or for any person in his employ, to drive on or over such sidewalk for the purpose of discharging any bulky or needful article on such lot or part of lot, and also to ride, lead or drive any animal or vehicle, as aforesaid, for the purpose of entering upon such lot or part of lot, if only at the place where such riding, leading or driving shall be done, said sidewalk shall have been paved with flagstone or brick set upon edge so that riding or driving shall not be injurious to such sidewalk. It shall also be lawful for livery-stable keepers, lumbermen and other such persons, or their employes, and whose ordinary business may require, to make such crossings with such animal or vehicle, if such sidewalk, at the place to be crossed, shall first have been paved as aforesaid, and if, moreover, the movement of foot passengers thereon be not impeded.
Sec. 8. All cross-walks shall be kept and reserved free from any sleighs, wagons, carts or carriages, and horses or other animals, being placed or suffered to stand thereon, except so far as may be necessary in crossing the same; and the owner of any sleigh, wagon, cart or other carriage, or horse or other animal, offending herein, shall be subject to the penalty herein prescribed.
Sec. 9. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to throw material of any kind upon any sidewalk in the city while building, erecting or repairing any building or place, fronting upon the same or bordering thereon.
Sec. 10. All shade or ornamental trees shall be planted on a line two (2) feet inside of the outer line of the sidewalk; and if any trees shall have been heretofore planted within or without the line established, at the time the same were set out, or shall hereafter be planted in violation of this ordinance, the board of public works shall have the power in their discretion, to cause the same to be taken up and set out. Provided, that in no case shall such discretion be exercised unless such trees form a material obstruction to the street or sidewalk, nor unless the season shall be favorable for transplanting the same.
Sec. 11. All trees kept, maintained or cultivated in any of the streets or public places of the city shall have the limbs cut close to the trunk and in such a manner that the boughs and branches thereof shall not be less than nine feet above the ground; and it shall not be lawful to keep, maintain or cultivate trees in any of the streets or public places of the city, except in the manner provided in this ordinance; and any person who shall fail to comply herewith, after three days' notice from the board of public works, shall be liable to the penalty hereinafter provided.
Sec. 12. Any person who shall keep or leave open any cellar door or grating of any coal hole, vault or area on any highway or sidewalk, or suffer the same to be kept or left open, or who shall suffer any sidewalk adjoining his premises to become or continue so broken as to endanger life or limb, shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided.
Sec. 13. It shall be the duty of all policemen to take note of all defects in sidewalks and when out of repair, notify the board of public works.
Sec. 14. From and after the first day of May until the first day of October, of each and every year, it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to wash, or cause to be washed, any pavement, or window upon the line of such pavement, with a hose or street washer, or by throwing or dashing water against and upon the same, between the hours of seven o'clock in the morning and seven o'clock in the evening. And all dirt, dust and rubbish must be swept off from all sidewalks by seven-thirty in the morning of each and every day.
Sec. 15. Every owner or occupant of any house or other building, and the owner or proprietor, lessee or person entitled to possession of any vacant lot, and every person having charge of any church, jail, public hall or other building in the city, shall, during the winter season and during the time snow shall continue on the ground by nine o'clock on each and every morning, clean the sidewalk in front of such house or building, and in front of such lot, from snow or ice, and keep it conveniently free thereof during the day; and shall also, at all times, keep such sidewalks clear from all dirt and filth, or other obstructions or incumbrances, so as to allow citizens to use the said sidewalks in an easy and commodious manner.
Sec. 16. It shall be the duty of all policemen and other city officers in case of accident, to report the same to the city attorney, together with the names of any witnesses to said accident if known to them, at once in writing.
Sec. 17. Sidewalks shall be constructed so as to incline upwards from the outer edge one inch in every three feet, and no part of said sidewalk shall be taken for private use, by lowering or cutting down the same next to the building, or railing off the same by any wooden or iron railing or by shutting off the public from passing along and over the same, and such sidewalk shall not be raised up next to any building by constructing any platform on the same, of either wood, iron or stone, but such sidewalk shall be built flush up to the building, on a uniform grade, as herein provided.
Sec. 18. No boiler, steam shaft, furnace or steam pipe, or cesspool, shall be constructed or located for use, and no explosive substance, or inflammable oil or substance, shall be stored or kept for any purpose under any sidewalk in the city; and no excavation, when permitted, shall be ventilated into the street, unless the aperture or ventilating hole or opening shall be securely covered, as herein provided.
Sec. 19. Whenever the owner or occupant of any premises in the city shall be notified by the board of public works or by someone acting under the supervision of said board of public works, to raise, lower or relay or repair any sidewalk bordering on any premises owned or occupied by him, it shall be the duty of such owner or occupant to cause such improvement to be made within the time specified in such notice and in the manner to be directed by the board of public works. If any such owner or occupant shall neglect or refuse to comply with any such requirement, he shall be subject to the penalty hereinafter provided.
Sec. 20. It shall be unlawful for any person to construct or maintain, place, or caused to be constructed or maintained, any portico, porch, door, window, steps, or fence, which shall project into or over any street, alley or sidewalk in such manner as to obstruct free passage along or over the same.
Sec. 21. It shall be unlawful for any person to place or keep or allow to be placed or kept any pot, jar, or box of plants or flowers in or upon the window sill of any building touching or coming near to the street line of any public street in the city of Fort Wayne, above the first story thereof without having such pots, jars, or boxes protected from falling into or upon the sidewalks of said streets, by strong wire or iron guards securely fastened to the outer casing of such windows.
Sec. 22. It shall be unlawful for any person to saw or split fire wood on any sidewalk of this city or cause or permit the same to be done.
Sec. 23. It shall be unlawful for the owner or occupant of any building to cause the pipes conducting water from the eaves of such building, to be so constructed as to spurt water over the adjoining sidewalk.
Sec. 24. It shall be unlawful to clean or scale fish, or to do anything that might tend to be a nuisance in or upon any street, alley or public place in this city.
Sec. 25. The following ordinance is hereby repealed: Chapter 45, Revised Ordinances of the City of Fort Wayne, approved March 11, 1887, and all the amendments to any section thereof. Likewise any and all other ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict therewith.
26. This ordinance to be in full force and effect on and after its passage, approval by mayor and legal publication.
Sec. 27. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall, upon conviction, be fined in any sum not less than one dollar ($1.00) nor more than one hundred dollars ($100.)
SYLVESTER M'MAHON.
The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes, 17, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.
Nays. None.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 150.
An ordinance regulating the construction of vaults.
Section 1. Be it ordained by the common council of the city of Fort Wayne that each and every tenement house, factory, dwelling house, shop, hotel and occupied building shall be furnished with a suitable privy, the vault of which shall be one which shall sink under ground at least four feet deep, and walled up with brick, stone or other metallic substance, which shall be water tight; and said privy shall at all times be kept so as not to cause unwholesome, noxious or offensive smells.
Sec. 2. The board of health, upon being satisfied that any tenement house, factory, shop, dwelling house, hotel building, hereinbefore mentioned, is not provided with a suitable privy, and having declared so, shall cause a written or printed notice to be given the owner or agent if found within the city (if not, then the lessee or occupant); and if within ten days such privy be not constructed, shall cause complaint to be made for violation of this ordinance, and each and every day's failure to comply with such notice shall be deemed a distinct offense, and as such punished.
Sec. 3. All privies constructed of insufficient materials or in unsuitable places, or in an insufficient and inadequate manner, or suffered to become too full, or to emit noxious or offensive smells, shall be deemed a nuisance, if injurious to health, comfort or convenience. Any owner, occupant or lessee of premises whereon the same is situated, shall be liable to the penalty herein provided for constructing, suffering, or maintaining the same.
Sec. 4. The contents of any privy shall not be deposited at any place other than that designated by the board of health.
Sec. 5. Nothing herein contained shall be construed as applying to houses, factories, stores, shops, or buildings furnished with a cleanly and proper water-closet, properly connected with a sewer or water-course; nor shall anything herein be construed as repealing any ordinance heretofore established concerning privies and nuisances.
Sec. 6. This ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by mayor and legal publication.
JOHN J. BAUER.
The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes, 17, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.
Nays: None.

GENERAL ORDINANCE NO. 151.
An ordinance regulating the use of bridges within the corporate limits of the city of Fort Wayne, and providing a penalty for the violation of the same.
Section 1. No person shall drive, ride or lead any horse, horses or other animal or animals, over or upon any public bridge within the corporation limits of the city faster than a walk.
Sec. 2. No person or persons shall drive or assist in driving on or across any of the bridges within the limits of the city to exceed eight (8) head of cattle or horses at any one time in a drove.
Sec. 3. It shall be unlawful for any person or persons to unnecessarily or wilfully remain or stop with a team or teams of horses, oxen, wagon, sleigh, sled or any other vehicle whatever, upon the bridges in the city of Fort Wayne or in or upon the approach of such bridges.
Sec. 4. It shall be the duty of all drivers or persons in charge of any wagon, dray, cart or vehicle of any kind to keep to the right when crossing the bridges of said city.
Sec. 5. No person shall cut, deface or in any manner cut, mutilate the railing, floor or any part of such bridge or bridges, or of any appurtenances thereto, or commit any nuisance on or from such bridge or bridges.
Sec. 6. The following ordinance is hereby repealed, to wit: Chapter 9 of the Revised Ordinances of the city of Fort Wayne, Approved March 11, 1887.
Sec. 7. Any person or persons violating any provision of this ordinance shall upon conviction be fined in any sum not less than one dollar $1.00) nor more than fifty dollars ($50.00.)
Sec. 8. This ordinance to be in full force and effect from and after its passage, approval by mayor and legal publication.
SYLVESTER M'MAHON.
The ordinance was read the third time in full and upon motion passed by the following vote:
Ayes, 17, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Buhr, Clark, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Hosey, Lennart, McMahon, Poirson, Scheid, Schubler, Schwartz, Zurbuch.
Nays: None.

RESOLUTION.
Whereas, The corner of Masterson avenue and Barr streets is without an electric light, there being no light on Masterson avenue from Calhoun to Lafayette street; therefore, be it
Resolved, That the board of public works be instructed to have an electric light placed at said corner at their earliest convenience.
P. J. SCHEID.
Referred to committee on streets and lights.

Councilman Poirson introduced a resolution in reference to the committee on health, which resolution was upon motion laid on the table without reading by the following vote:
Ayes, 11, viz: Bauer, Borkenstein, Eckert, Ehrman, Haag, Hayes, Hench, Lennart, McMahon, Schubler, Schwartz.
Nays, 5, viz: Buhr, Hosey, Poirson, Scheid, Zurbuch.

RESOLUTION.
Resolved, That the committee on public health be and is hereby directed to make a further investigation and report to this council at its next regular meeting the number of "vaccine points" purchased by the board of health; how many were used to vaccinate the poor; how many were returned to the party from whom purchased; the amount of credit for those returned, and the cost of said points per hundred. Also give the same report on vaccine shields purchased.
PETER F. POIRSON.
Laid upon the table.
On motion the council then adjourned.

SHIRLEY CITY.

The Methodists are holding revival meetings in the M. E. hall, which are well attended.

The Union Sunday school elected officers for the ensuing six months as follows: Superintendent, J. P. McMillen; assistant superintendent, John Small; secretary, Mrs. J. E. Angsperger; assistant secretary, Mrs. George Hetrick; treasurer, Mrs. Jeff Small; librarian, Annia Faulkner; assistant librarian, Effie McMillen; chorister and organist, Mrs. Robert B. Shirley.

Our town is prospering and fast coming to the front. A new grain elevator will be built this spring. It will be much larger than our present elevator.

The Union Sunday school class met at the residence of Robert B. Shirley to organize for the purpose of building a church. John Small was elected president and Mr. Shirley was chosen secretary. The Liberal United Brethren church organization was adopted. Later a meeting was held at the residence of J. P. McMillen, which meeting resolved to build a church. Subscription papers were drawn up and are now being circulated and meeting with surprising success.

WALLEN ITEMS.

Luther Pratt has recovered from his long spell of sickness.

William Gephert will leave next Saturday for Lagrange county to spend a few weeks with relatives and friends.

Harry Grosjean is making preparations to go to the Klondike to try the mining industry.

Clarence Cook left Monday for Ohio, where he will remain several weeks.

The Aid society will give a social and entertainment February 14, at the W. W. hall.

Sunday school and church services next Sunday at the usual hour.

James Vandoller's barber business has become so flourishing that he has hired two extra barbers.

Arthur Waters and Charles Badiac were in town yesterday on business.

William Cook was in Fort Wayne Saturday on business.

Miss Bessie Meyers, Miss Ada Pfeiffer, John Cook and Isadore Badiac spent Sunday here with parents.

Can't be perfect health without pure Blood. Burdock Blood Bitters makes pure blood. Tones and invigorates the whole system.

'Tisn't safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to happen.

"Neglected colds make fat graveyards." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup helps men and women to a happy, vigorous old age.

It's folly to suffer from that horrible plague of the night, itching piles. Doan's Ointment cures quickly and permanently. At any drug store, 50 cents.

Aluminum has just been used for the construction of a new fireproof curtain to be used in the opera house of Besancon. The curtain is sixty feet wide, by fifty-four feet high, and its total weight, composed of aluminum sheets one-twelfth of an inch thick, will be 4,000 pounds.

A regular business, carried on in France by ladies of the highest standing, is to secure rich American brides for penniless men of title. These matrimonial agents receive fees when they are successful.

The Cruel Knife!
It is absolutely useless to expect a surgical operation to cure cancer, or any other blood disease. The cruelty of such treatment is illustrated in the alarming number of deaths which result from it. The disease is in the blood, and hence can not be cut out. Nine times out of ten the surgeon's knife only hastens death.
My son had a most malignant Cancer, for which the doctors said an operation was the only hope. The operation was a severe one, as it was necessary to cut down to the jawbone and scrape it. Before a great while the Cancer returned, and began to grow rapidly. We gave him many remedies without relief, and finally, upon the advice of a friend, decided to try S. S. S. (Swift's Specific), and with the second bottle he began to improve. After twenty bottles had been taken, the Cancer disappeared entirely, and he was cured. The cure was a permanent one, for he is now seventeen years old, and has never had a sign of the dreadful disease to return.

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A healthy man does not vary much from year to year in his weight. This is as it should be. Vinol enables the organs of the body to renew flesh, muscle tissue, bone structure, and attends to purifying the great vital current of the human system, the blood.

Vinol contains the active curative properties of Cod-Liver Oil in a highly concentrated state, and is the most wonderful tonic that we have ever had anything to do with.

Vinol acts upon the stomach in a beneficial way, enabling it to obtain for itself the necessary ingredients from the food that is taken into it to build up the pure healthy body and increase the weight.

Mr. H. M. Stufell, who is a well-known passenger trainman on the Boston and Maine Railroad, suffered, as many railroad men do, with kidney and other troubles. He writes as follows:

"My kidneys troubled me a great deal, my bowels were very irregular, I had great distress in my stomach, suffered with bilious headaches, had no appetite, could not sleep nights, and was losing flesh rapidly. I began to take Vinol, I am now on my third bottle, and it is doing wonders for me. My kidneys are better, my bowels are again regular, my stomach no longer troubles me, and no more headaches, and as for appetite, don't speak of it; I sleep like a top and have gained thirteen pounds. You can count on me always to recommend Vinol as the king of medicines."

With many such testimonials as the above coming before us, it is not strange that we endorse Vinol as strongly as we do. We unhesitatingly agree to return to any one who has taken Vinol and is not satisfied that it has accomplished all that we claim for it every cent that they have paid us for this remedy.

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BUSINESS OUTGROWS WORKS

AND AN ADDITION BECOMES A NECESSITY.

PENNSYLVANIA PENSION PLAN

EMPLOYES' INTEREST IN THE SYSTEM INCREASES.

This morning a number of workmen commenced the excavation for an addition to the machine part of the Paul Manufacturing company's works, at the corner of North Calhoun and Sixth streets. The firm is engaged in the manufacture of furniture specials and pulleys and its business has outgrown the capacity of the factory, hence the addition. The new building will be on the north side of the machine shop and will be 50x50 feet. As soon as possible it will be completed and equipped and then the company will increase its working force accordingly. A new dry kiln is also to be erected near the shops.

CALL SYSTEM IN OPERATION.

Last night the American District Telegraph company commenced "keeping tab" on the watchmen at the Pittsburg shops and yards. There are eighteen call boxes at the shops, and the watchmen are required to register at stated intervals.

HIRED ANOTHER LOT OF MEN.

Road Foreman C. E. Colmey, of the Pittsburg, last night completed the examinations which began several days ago, and this morning placed the following names on the list of firemen: Charles Beltz, C. B. Whitney, F. S. Mollett, H. Thomas, M. C. Wolford and Charles Rarick. These men filed their applications weeks ago and the appointments have just reached them. The company is not receiving any more applicants.

MOVING IN THE MACHINERY.

The big cast base plate for one of the new steam hammers to be erected in the addition to the Bass blacksmith shop was today moved from the foundry to the 'smith shop. It weighs 18,000 pounds and was removed with much difficulty, owing to the bad condition of the ground traversed. The machinery is being rapidly placed in the new shop, and Foreman Slater expects to have it in operation in a week or two. It will be the largest and best equipped blacksmith shop west of the Allegheny mountains.

RAILWAYS ARE LIBERAL.

Up to date the various railways having St. Louis branches have subscribed $415,000 to the World's fair fund. The amount each railway company subscribed is given in the following:

Missouri Pacific	$85,000
Wabash	65,000
Burlington	55,000
Illinois Central	50,000
Pennsylvania	50,000
Baltimore & Ohio	40,000
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	35,000
Frisco	35,000

The citizens of St. Louis want to raise $3,000,000, and they are in a fair way to accomplish their purpose. The fair will be held in that city in 1903.

THE PENNSYLVANIA PENSION.

The publication a few weeks ago of the fact that the Pennsylvania railroad, which includes only those lines east of Pittsburg, had placed 950 of its old employes on the pension list has intensified the interest in the pension question among the employes on the lines west of Pittsburg and set afloat numerous rumors and inquiries concerning the system and its probable adoption by the lines constituting the Pennsylvania company. There can be no doubt of the company's intention of putting the pension system in operation on the lines west of Pittsburg, but the day when it can be accomplished may be a year or two off. This new pension system is the outgrowth of the company's Voluntary Relief association, which provides that in the event of sickness or disablement of its members they shall be paid a certain sum during the continuance of such condition, and a certain sum in the event of the death of the member. Membership is entirely voluntary. The Pennsylvania company itself bears all the expense of conducting the business, besides guaranteeing the fund. Thus all dues and fees paid in by the men are absolutely devoted to the relief of the members. Moreover, the company handles the money, guaranteeing 4 per cent. interest thereon. A feature of the scheme was, through these means, to create a fund which should ultimately be used as a pension fund. This point has now been reached for that part of the organization embracing the lines east of Pittsburg—the Pennsylvania road proper—and, as already stated, 950 men are at once the beneficiaries of the system. It is all the more creditable, alike to the company and to the men, that this pension system is not a charity on the part of the corporation, but a wise and well managed provision whereby the men themselves are given opportunity to provide for their own old age in a self-respecting way. The company assumes responsibility for the safeguarding of the funds, all the expenses of the management, and guarantees the investment of the funds, and thus gives the fullest co-operation in the proper working of the enterprise. The employes have three representatives in the management; the company two. The pension system provides that a man who has been thirty years in the service of the Pennsylvania railroad company shall be retired on a pension equal to about 50 per cent. of the salary or wages he earned at the time of his retirement. No further duties are expected of him, and there are no requirements other than that he shall be loyal to the interests of the company, ready with such advice, knowledge and friendly assistance as it may be in his power to give.

Since wages range from $55 a month for brakemen and switchmen to $140 a month for engineers, and as the pension list at its outset includes nearly 1,000 names, it is evident that the amount of money paid out each month on account of pensions much reach a very considerable sum. Following the usual course of procedure with most of its innovations and improvements, the pension system is first introduced on the lines east of Pittsburg. As soon as possible it will be put into effect over all the lines operated by the company.

HE MADE SIGNS.

A gentleman appeared at the ticket window of the Pittsburg this morning and after attracting the attention of the ticket seller, slapped his right leg and grabbed his ear. "One forty-five," was the ticket seller's reply, as he reached up into the rack, got and stamped a ticket, and shoved it at the man of signs. The traveler wanted to go to Ligonier and he indicated as much by his queer actions

INDUSTRIAL NOTES.

Roadmaster Shipps, of the Findlay, is in the city today.

H. C. Linkenhet, a fireman on the Pittsburg road, is sick and off duty.

Brakeman P. Phillips, of the Grand Rapids and Indiana road, is off duty on account of sickness.

The Southern Indiana railroad is now running trains on its western extension, from Elnora to Linton.

William Gibson is a new name on the pay rolls of the Kerr Murray Manufacturing company. He began work in that establishment yesterday.

James Murray, assistant boiler foreman at the Wabash shops, returned from Indianapolis last night.

R. A. Atkinson has resumed his duties in the Wabash yards after attending the funeral of a relative in Cincinnati.

Guy Hughes and George Lloyd, machinists, went to Ashley this morning to do some work for the Wabash company.

Levi Griffith & Son were the lowest bidder on the house that Josias Greensfelder proposes to build on West Wayne street.

Lawrence, the eleven-year-old son of Bert Sunderland, of the Pittsburg depot, is sick and it is feared he is suffering from appendicitis.

A few days ago a train loaded with dressed meats for export made the run from Columbus, Ohio, to New York in thirty-six hours.

John Seidel has returned from Ann Arbor, Mich., and resumed his place in the Kerr Murray shop. He was engaged a week in setting up a gas holder in Ann Arbor.

In 1899 nineteen new railroad branches of the Young Men's Christian association were added in the United States and twelve buildings erected especially for railroad work.

Robert Cunningham resigned his position at the electric works last night and will go to Indianapolis to take a position on the Broad Ripple street car line, under John McDonald.

W. Cunningham and F. Sellers, Pittsburg fireman, are off duty by permission. The latter gentleman, in company with his wife, has gone to Columbia City for a few days' visit.

Joseph R. Walton, the aged clerk, is reported to be slightly improved and indications now point to his recovery from the attack of pneumonia which threatened his life a few days ago.

R. P. C. Anderson, master mechanic of the Norfolk and Western, will, on February 1, sever his connection with that road to accept a like position on the Santa Fe lines in California.

Yesterday a water glass in a Pittsburg engine burst and the hot contents went in the face of Fireman C. L. Klein, burning one of his eyes painfully and placing him on the disability list for a few days.

The Dayton Union Railway company is agitating the building of a belt road around that city. Traffic of the roads passing through the city is with each year increasing and must all be done over two tracks.

Hiram Ellenwood, whose illness was mentioned in The Sentinel a few days ago, continues very low. Mr. Ellenwood was thirty-five years in the cab, and that, too, when railroading was more of a hardship than it is today.

John Doehrmann, the blacksmith, who had his skull fractured at the Bass works a short time ago, is getting well rapidly, but will probably be unable to work for a few weeks yet. He called at the shop yesterday to see his comrades.

The Pennsylvania handled three theatrical troupes in this neighborhood today. The Devil's Auction company came down from Lima, the White Faust company passed from Crestline to Upper Sandusky and the Morris company went to South Bend.

An unexpected increase of pay was given to the more than one hundred men in the Lake Shore's Elkhart foundry yesterday. Men receiving less than 20 cents an hour were raised a cent and a half, and those receiving 20 cents or more a cent an hour.

In December the Pennsylvania Voluntary Relief Department west of Pittsburg paid out on death benefits from accident $7,000, from natural causes, $5,000; in disablement benefits from accident, $8,368; on account of sickness, $8,229.20, a total for the month of $28,597.20.

One of the engineers on the Lake Shore had an experience a few days since in which he failed to appreciate an intended good service. When a little north of Youngstown he saw a farmer waving his hand at a crossing. He stopped the train and was told there was a train ahead of him on the switch.

G. Wefel, tinner at the east yards, resumed work this morning. He had been sick a few days.

William Wartenbee has taken charge of the bolt making machine in the Pittsburg blacksmith shop, which was formerly operated by Charles Barnes, now employed in Columbus, Ohio.

T. J. White, a Pennsylvania fireman who was injured by falling from the engine at Wanatah a month ago, is ready for work and will report today. Since the accident he has been with his folks at Upper Sandusky.

C. H. Tweedy, H. Beck, W. M. Kress, J. McCarthy, Henry Beskness, I. H. Mauk, J. Raidy and M. Sullivan are off duty, the two latter to attend a funeral and all the others on account of sickness. They are Pittsburg shopmen.

There is little ground for encouragement in the reports which come from the bedside of Frank Cherry the veteran Pennsylvania boilermaker, who was stricken with paralysis last Monday. He cannot move either limb on his left side and the pain in his head continues unabated.

The Michigan division of the Big Four road is receiving a large quantity of new steel which is being laid near Wabash. Already the line from Anderson to Summitville has been laid with sixty-seven-pound rail and from Summitville north, a distance of five miles, the old fifty-six-pound rail will be taken up and replaced with the heavier steel.

D. T. Bacon, who is a frequent visitor at Fort Wayne, will next week complete his thirty-seventh year in railway service. Thirty years of the time was spent in the transportation department. Mr. Bacon is general manager of the Indiana Car Service association. He says that during his service in Indiana he has never known as favorable weather for railroading as during the fall and winter months of 1899 and 1900, and this accounts for the handsome earnings shown.

During the year 1899 Captain Stoll and his patrolmen arrested 546 offenders of the law, 23 for petit larceny, 1 for murder, 5 for burglary, 22 for disorderly conduct, 2 for selling stolen property, and the remainder for vagrancy. During the year the department recovered property to the amount of $914.50, and paid into the justices' courts in the towns through which the line passes the sum of $797.65. Each year shows a decrease in the number of arrests, indicating that crime is decreasing. This is probably on account of the vigorous manner in which Captain Stoll and his men hunt up and punish offenders. Few criminals escape and the crooks give the Pittsburg road a wide berth because of this fact.

Ed McDonald, assistant road foreman of engineers of the Pittsburg, will be the guest of some of the roads running west out of Chicago for the next two weeks. He will go to that city tonight and will take a trip over the Burlington, possibly on the flyer, which has made such remarkable speed records during the past year. Then he will travel over the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul and the Chicago, Cedar Rapids and Northern, taking notes meanwhile of the manner of running engines on those lines.

People are right or left eyed just as they are right or left handed, and just as the right hand is usually the more powerful, so is the right eye. Only one person in ten is left sighted. It is very probable that the use of weapons during countless ages has had something to do with the extra power of the right eye.

J. D. Olds transacted business in Huntington on Tuesday.

THERE IS A CLASS OF PEOPLE

Who are injured by the use of coffee. Recently there has been placed in all the grocery stores a new preparation called GRAIN-O, made of pure grains, that takes the place of coffee. The most delicate stomach receives it without distress, and but few can tell it from coffee. It does not cost over ¼ as much. Children may drink it with great benefit. 15 cts. and 25 cts. per package. Try it. Ask for GRAIN-O.

"Housework is hard work without Gold Dust"

Washing Dishes

To wash dishes in half the time, and do it well, follow this recipe: Always use hot water—not warm, but hot. It is best to use mops with china and glass, and, to have a nice lather, instead of using soap use

Gold Dust Washing Powder

Dissolve a tablespoonful in the hot water and wash quickly; have plenty of nice, dry towels to wipe with; have a drainer that will allow the water to run off the dishes into receptacle below, when you will have highly polished glass and china.

Use above recipe from our free booklet "GOLDEN RULES FOR HOUSEWORK" Sent free on request to

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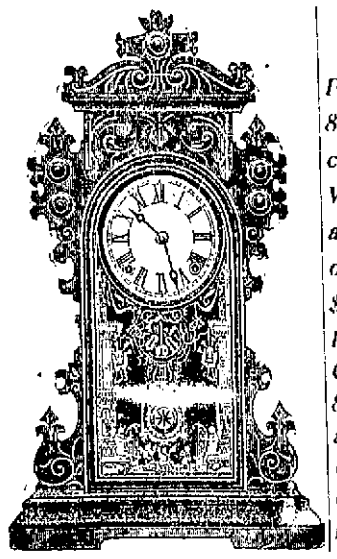

Only $2

For this elegant 8-day striking clock; comes in Walnut or Oak and includes all our $3.50 and $4.00 styles. Fancy Parlor Clock, $3.50 up; 8-day gong strike and worth, regular $6.00. Other Clocks same low price.

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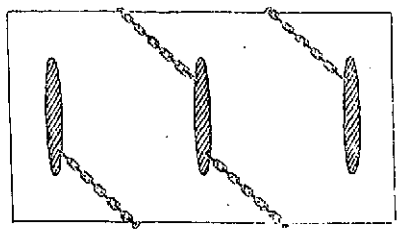

See our line of Bracelets we are offering at $1.00 and $1.25. They are well worth $2.00. Every one guaranteed. Rings from $1.00 up to $500.00. Largest line in Fort Wayne to select from.

We also have left over about 50 Pearl Opera Glasses, worth $4.50, $5.00 and $6.00. Will offer them at $2.75 for choice.

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Remember our specialty is fitting glasses. We guarantee satisfaction. Steel spectacles, $1.00 up. Gold, $5.00 up. Eyes tested free.

A COMPLAINT OF CRUELTY.

Logansport, Ind., Jan. 24.—Mrs. Elizabeth Myers, sixty years old, tramped to Logansport yesterday evening from the county infirmary. She tells a story of ill treatment that has set an investigation on foot. Mrs. Myers was taken to the infirmary a few days ago and she says that because she raved for morphine she was locked in a room, and when she refused to cease pleading for the drug two of the inmates beat her severely, and Mrs. Myers says the beatings were continued with such frequency that she determined to escape. She accordingly manufactured a rope from her bed clothing and shortly after daylight she let herself down from a room on the second floor of the building and managed to get away unnoticed. Mrs. Myers is a confirmed morphine-eater. The need of reform at the Cass county infirmary has been emphasized a number of times, the Baldwin club, of this city, having recently started an agitation in that direction. Less than a month ago the inmates engaged in a general fight, and one woman over ninety years old was thrown down in the melee and her left hip fractured. She is still under the care of a physician.

WILL MEET MONDAY.

The meeting for the temporary organization of Battery B will be held next Monday evening, though Captain Ranke states that the exact date of muster into the state service is not yet decided. It is presumed this will occur early in February.

Globe GOING OUT OF BUSINESS!

Next Saturday is the Last Day

That you can buy any article in our store at HALF PRICE.

$20,000 Worth choice Clothing, Hats and Furnishing Goods still to be slaughtered at HALF PRICE

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On Thursday Morning, Jan. 25th, we Start . . . . . .

CLEANING-UP SALE!

It is the policy of this business not to carry any goods over from one season to another, except in staple lines. All the odd lots, broken lines, remnants, short lengths and discontinued merchandise MUST BE SOLD before inventory.

Our Enormous Trade

during this month has left us with an accumulation of odd lots, short lengths and remnants, which will be priced so low as to insure a speedy clearance.

REMNANTS OF SILKS AND DRESS GOODS.
REMNANTS OF LININGS.
REMNANTS OF TRIMMINGS AND LACES.
REMNANTS OF GINGHAMS.
REMNANTS OF CALICO.
REMNANTS OF LINENS.

Odd lots of Hosiery, odd lots of Gloves, Underwear and Corsets. Bargains in every department.

In the Carpet Room.

Short lengths of Carpets. Bring your room measure. We can fit you rail and save you money.

Odd lots of Lace and Drapery Curtains, priced very low.

In the Cloak Room.

Our entire stock of Women's Coats, Capes, Suits, Furs, Tea Gowns, Skirts, Waists and Wrappers.

Children's Coats, Jackets, Dresses and Furs. All to be closed out at cost and less than cost.

Do not miss this bargain opportunity.

Rurode Dry Goods Co.

WANT A SYRINGE?

Of course. Every well regulated household wants one. But there are syringes and syringes—those that don't work and those that do. If you want the first, we haven't them; if you want the last, the kind that work and work well, always work, we have them.

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Suit cleaned and pressed, 50c.
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Suits made to order a specialty.
Goods called for and delivered.
Come and give us a trial. Home Phone 764 Main.

PHILADELPHIA TAILORING CO.,
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Repairing neatly done.

LOCAL LINES.

Miss Ida Dalman is convalescing from a severe illness.

Mrs. Harry Dragoo, of Auburn, is the guest Mrs. T. M. Hall.

Mrs. F. I. Taft is visiting friends in Richmond, Ind., for a few days.

S. M. Foster has been in New York for several days on a business trip.

The interior of Miner's studio, on West Wayne street, is being remodeled.

F. B. Carey, of Lebanon, Ohio, is in the city the guest of Lee Ivans, of the New Aveline.

The directors of the Commercial club will hold their regular meeting on Thursday evening.

R. L. Bischoff, of the Meyer drug store, returned last evening from a visit of several weeks in Boston.

John Rohan will entertain the A. O. H. at a smoker in the rooms of the Shamrock club on Saturday evening.

Mrs. David Robbins and Mrs. Charles Colerick have issued invitations for a pedro party for Friday afternoon.

The Harmony lodge committee will report its resolutions on the death of General Lawton at the meeting on Thursday evening.

A meeting of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical society will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in Vordermark hall, 32 Calhoun street.

Mrs. C. E. Colson and daughter, who have been visiting Mrs. Colson's parents at 64 East Jefferson street, left today for thir new home at Lima, Ohio.

In police court this morning M. R. Rockweith, a train climber arrested by Detective Spath, was the only prisoner and he was allowed to go on a promise to get out of town.

Will Cumback, jr., of Indianapolis, is in the city and is registered at the New Aveline. Mr. Cumback is a traveling salesman and a son of the well known ex-Governor Cumback, of this state.

The Young Girls' Dancing club, which was recently formed among the young ladies in the high school, will be given a complimentary dance by Miss Hanker in her hall on Saturday, Feb. 2.

Mrs. A. M. Root leaves tomorrow morning for Los Angeles, Cal., where she will remain for some months in the hope of benefiting her health. Mrs. Root will be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Zuber and daughter, of Antwerp, Ohio.

Agents of the Prudential Insurance company will gather in the city tomorrow for the annual meeting under the direction of Superintendent Carl Sauer. The event will close Thursday evening with a banquet at the Randall hotel. Covers will be laid for sixty.

The Evening Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 24, 1900.

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THE WEATHER.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Forecast for Indiana: Fair tonight and Thursday; much colder Thursday and in northwest portion tonight; high southerly winds, shifting to northwest.

LOCAL NEWS.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Meyer, of 85 Walton avenue—a son.

Attorney W. H. Reed transacted business in Decatur on Tuesday.

Fred Bushey, of Eliza street, is confined to his home with illness.

Dr. R. Parks White and William Houston, of Warsaw, are in the city.

Miss Edn Tresselt will entertain the members of the Mimosa club this evening.

Mrs. James A. Armstrong left today for Yellow Springs, Ohio, to visit with her parents.

The Ladies' auxiliary of the B. R. Y. M. C. A. will serve a chicken dinner Thursday evening, from 5 to 7 o'clock.

Special revival services will continue Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings of this week at the Baptist tabernacle.

The Booker T. Washington club will meet with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith, of Lafayette street, this evening and elect officers.

The Home Missionary society of the St. John's Lutheran church will meet tomorrow afternoon at the home of Mrs. Henry Siebold, of G Hendricks street.

Miss Mattie Bitner, of Philadelphia, will arrive in the city this evening and will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Westerman, of 617 South Harrison street.

The revival meetings at the Berry Street M. E. church continue with unabated interest. At the meeting on Tuesday evening four people were saved. Dr. W. D. Parr and Rev. F. T. Simpson made addresses.

The new instruments for the orchestra of the R. F. C. club arrived yesterday and will be used for the first time at the entertainment to be given by that club next Tuesday evening. The instruments are very pretty in design and were purchased from a New York firm.

Those from out of the city who attended the funeral of the late Beverley Hall were his sister, Mrs. William Armstrong, of Chicago; his brother, Fred, of Grand Rapids, Mich.; his son, Ernest, of Muncie; Claude Walters, of Marion, Ohio, and Mrs. Clara Whitney, of Defiance, Ohio.

The Modern American Fraternal Order will meet on Thursday evening and a fine program will be given. Mrs. W. T. Jefferies will recite one of her humorous poems, and J. F. Gocke, Mrs. Foster and others will assist in entertaining. A class of nine will be instructed. George Lecrome, supreme secretary, will be present. Deputy Sheriff George Stout won a dinner set in the contest for members.

Mrs. Van B. Perrine gave a charming reception on Tuesday afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock. She was assisted in receiving by her mother, Mrs. J. J. Bowman, and Mrs. James A. Armstrong. Mrs. T. E. Ellison and Mrs. S. M. Foster acted as ushers into the dining room. The decorations, which were by Miss Flick, were beautiful in arrangement. Reineke's orchestra furnished the music, and the refreshments were served by Lacklin. After 6 o'clock Mrs. Perrine entertained the ladies of the receiving party and their husbands at dinner.

Mrs. Alfred Hattersley gave an afternoon tea from 4 to 6, on Tuesday, in honor of Mrs. F. A. Newton, of Chicago. The decorations of the rooms were very pretty. Mrs. Will Olds and Mrs. W. H. Shambaugh presided at the tables, which were prettily decorated, and they were assisted by Miss Ethel Hanna, Miss Margie Hanna, Miss Blanche Hattersley and Miss Sinclair Hattersley. Mrs. W. A. Evans and Miss Mary Evans acted as ushers, and Mrs. David Robbins and Mrs. Charles Colerick assisted in receiving the guests.

Smoking Jackets no luxury at our selling-out prices.

SAM, PETE & MAX.

POULTRY. OYSTERS. CELERY AND LETTUCE.

Nice Drawn Turkeys, 11c lb.
Nice Drawn Ducks, 10c lb.
Nice Drawn Chickens, 10c lb.
Large Frying Oysters, 25c can.
Large Stewing Oysters, 20c can.
Fresh Michigan Lettuce, 15c lb.
Nice Blanched Celery, 23c bunch.
Best Cape Cod Cranberries, 7c qut.
Best Malaga Grapes, 20c lb.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

BUTTER AND EGGS DOWN.

Best Country Roll Butter, 18c lb.
Good Jar Butter, 15c lb.
Fresh Country Eggs, 18c dozen.

WHITE FRUIT HOUSE.

J. W. Bell transacted business in Huntington Tuesday.

John E. Osborne, of Greensburg, is in the city on a business trip.

F. D. Hoham was in Plymouth Tuesday on a visit to his father.

Mrs. A. M. Barnes and Miss Mazie Mossman, of Columbia City, are the guests of John W. Golden and family.

A large safe weighing about 5,000 pounds was placed in the offices of the Road Makers' Supply company this morning.

Karn Bros. are moving their meat shop into their new store on Calhoun street, which has been remodelled for their occupancy.

Mrs. Edward Morris, who has been visiting her mother, Mrs. J. K. Edgerton, has left for Fort Wayne, Detroit Mich., where Dr. Morris is stationed.

Messrs. Broslus & Broslus have received a Mason quad, which was recently purchased by Frank Rahe and three other friends. The quad presents a handsome appearance.

Mrs. Jacob Goeglein, widow of the ex-county commissioner, who has been seriously ill at her home east of the city, is recovering, and is now able to sit up a part of the time.

Messrs. Elton Faust and George Keller entertained a party of friends in Langard's hall on Tuesday evening. Dancing and cards coupled the evening and refreshments were served.

The horse attached to a delivery wagon of C. F. Haiber, a grocer on Wells street, was frightened at an automobile Tuesday afternoon and started to run away at a frightful pace. The animal was captured before serious damage resulted.

The hall of the Mutqueen dancing academy has been prettily decorated for the "penny fair" which will be held there on Thursday and Friday evenings. A number of booths have been constructed and the embellishments of the room are attractive and tasteful. There will be an interesting program of music and contests each evening.

EYE-OPENERS FOR MONEY-SAVERS AT THE GREATEST.

Gold Dust Washing Powder, 4-lb pkgs., 15c.
Soapine and Pearline, 2 pkgs. for 5c.
Cornstarch, 1-lb pkgs., 4c
Electric Lustre Starch, 1-lb pkgs., 7c.
Merry War Lye, 4c can.
German Bird, 1-lb pkgs., 4c.

THE GREATEST GROCERY.

ENGLAND AND THE TRANSVAAL

Mr. John J. Enright, of New York, will lecture Thursday evening, Jan 25, at Westminster church, on England and the Transvaal. Striking views of the South African Transvaal will be shown with stereopticon effect, including the British and Boer forces of General Buller and General Joubert, now fighting near Ladysmith. Tickets, 25 cents. Now on sale at Woodworth & Co.'s drug store, 1 Aveline hotel. Get your seats early, as none are reserved.

JOURNEYMEN TAILORS.

Attend the meeting of Tailors' Union tomorrow evening, Jan. 25th, at 7:30 o'clock, No. 41 W. Main St.

JOHN KOCH,
Chairman Trades Organizing Com.

NOTICE.

Postoffice Drug Store, 18 Harrison street, open day and night. 23tf

Tonight's the night—Social and hop, Fort Wayne Ruling 662, F. M. C. 10c.

Notice is hereby given that any person who will lend any money, or any druggist who will sell any drugs or give credit to Frank Hebert after this day will lose the same.

23-2t OLIVER HEBERT, SR.

SOCIETY

Requires you to present yourself in a "full evening dress suit." Let us figure with you on one. Can save you money and dress you elegant.

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Ought to have a Smoking Jacket at the prices we are now asking.

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FOR 30 DAYS

We will make up any piece of goods in our store at greatly reduced prices. G. Schmidt, Merchant Tailor, 57 E. Berry St. 27-tf

MONEY TO LOAN

On Real Estate or Personal Security. C. F. Pfeiffer, Rooms 6-7. Bass Block. 2-tf

THE MARKETS.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—The wheat market opened strong on the Liverpool advance, May ¼@⅜c over yesterday, at 67¼@67⅜c. Predictions of a cold snap catching the uncovered crop also caused some uneasiness among shorts, who covered. St. Louis was a buyer early. May advanced to 67½c. Liverpool failing to maintain the advance and the fact that Paris showed less strength than yesterday at this point, caused selling, longs taking profits. There was a disposition to keep even with the war news from Africa. Trade was active. May slumped off to 66⅞c, where the market steadied. Receipts here were 26 cars, none of which was graded contract. Minneapolis and Duluth reported 305 cars, against 231 last week and 350 a year ago.

After 11 o'clock trade was less active. May receded a shade farther to 66¾@66⅞c, where the tide turned on buying by traders and covering by shorts, May advancing to 67¼@67⅜c. A reaction carried the price of May to 67c, where reports of bubonic plague had broken out in Rosario. Argentine influenced some demand, May rallying to 67⅛@67¼c. The effect was only momentary and the close was easy, May a shade under yesterday at 66⅞@67c.

Corn opened firm in sympathy with wheat, May unchanged at 33¼c. Cables were higher, country offerings lighter and receipts small—190 cars here. May advanced early to 33¼@33⅜c, but sold off with wheat to 33c, where the market steadied. Business was rather dull.

Corn to the end ruled dull and steady at the decline, May closing a shade lower at 33⅛@33¼c.

May oats opened unchanged from yesterday, 23½c, steadied by wheat and corn, but turned weak at the decline in other cereals, slumping to 22⅞@23¼c, where the market steadied on a small demand from shorts. Trading was moderate.

Sentiment in the provision market was bearish on the weakness of the hog market. The opening was a shade under yesterday and the demand was tame and hogs liberal. The market sold off, but held steady at the decline. Business was dull. May pork opened unchanged at $10.32½, and eased off to $10.70. May lard a shade lower at $6.00, selling off to 5.97½. May ribs, 2½c lower, at $5.75, declining to $5.70@5.72½.

THE CLOSE.

Prices at the close were as follows:

Wheat—Jan., 64¼c; May, 66⅞@67c; July, 67⅝@67⅞c.

Corn—Jan., 30⅞c; Feb., 30⅞c; May, 33⅛@33¼c; July, 33⅝c.

Oats—Jan., 22¼c; May, 23¼@23⅜c; July, 22¼@22⅝c.

Pork—Jan., $10.40; May, $10.62½@10.65; July, $10.72½.

Lard—Jan., $5.77½; May, $5.92½; July, $6.00.

Ribs—Jan., $5.60; May, $5.67½; July, $5.75.

Flax—Cash N. W., $1.50; Cash S. W., $1.50; May, $1.49; Sept., $1.05.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, Jan. 24.—Cattle—Receipts, 15,000; choice steady, others slow, including butchers stock and canners; bulk slow; stockers and feeders steady, unchanged. Beeves, $4@6.40; heifers, $3.25@5; canners, $2.20@2.90; stockers and feeders, $3.25@4.90; Texas fed beeves, $4@5.

Hogs—Receipts today, 33,000; tomorrow, 28,000; left over, 4,594; weak to 5c lower. Mixed and butchers, $4.50@4.72½; good to choice heavy, $4.60@4.75; rough heavy, $4.05@4.55; light, $4.40@4.60; bulk of sales, $4.55@4.65.

THE DAY ON WALL STREET.

New York, Jan. 24.—Stocks which suffered most in yesterday's decline were inclined to rally sharply at the opening this morning. Louisville, the Baltimore and Ohio stocks, Brooklyn transit and St. Paul were up about a point each. Glucose sugar also rose a point. Otherwise changes were small, with gains predominating.

An attempt was made to cancel the opening advances by attacking sugar. This stock promptly yielded a point, but rallied to the best again, and Metropolitan street railway was lifted 2½ points. The bulk of the small dealings were in a few stocks and included sugar and the New York public utilities. The latter group was strong, although the movement in Brooklyn transit and Third avenue was feverish. The general list held near the opening prices.

Aside from the rise of 2 points in Consolidated gas and fractional changes either way in other special the market extwo-- etnoin shrdl cept ties, there was nothing of interest doing in the market, which at midday was extremely dull.

Prices of bonds ruled higher, but the absorption was lighter than has been the recent average.

NEW YORK PRODUCE.

New York, Jan. 24.--Butter--Receipts, 6,084 pkgs.; market steady; June creamery, 20@23c; western creamery, 21@25c; factory, 16@19c.

Cheese—Receipts, 1,191 pkgs.; market firm; full made fancy, large, 12¾@13c; full made fancy, small, 12¾@13c; large late made, 11¾@12c; small late made, 12@12¼c.

Eggs—Receipts, 10,178 pkgs.; market barely steady; western, 21c loss off; western ungraded at mark, 14@19c.

Sugar—Raw, firm; refined, steady.

Coffee—No. 7, nominal.

Molasses—Market quiet.

THE MONEY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 24.—Money on call steady at 3 per cent.; prime mercantile paper, 4½@5½ per cent.; sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills, at $4.86¾@4.87 for demand and at $4.84@4.84¼ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.84½@4.85 and $4.87½@4.88; commercial bills, $4.83@4.83½; silver certificates, 59¾@60½c; bar silver, 59¾c; Mexican dollars, 45½c.

THE BOND MARKET.

New York, Jan. 24.—Government bonds weak:

U. S. 2's registered	102½
U. S. 3's registered	109½
U. S. 3's coupon	110¼
U. S. 4's registered (new)	132¾
U. S. 4's coupon (new)	133¾
U. S. 4s registered (old)	114
U. S. 4's coupon (old)	114
U. S. 5's registered	112
U. S. 5's coupon	113¼

FORT WAYNE MARKETS.

(Corrected Weekly by S. Bash & Co.)

Fort Wayne, Ind., Jan. 24.—Flour—Spring Wheat, $4.40@4.60; winter, per bbl., $3.50@3.60; second class, $2.00@2.25; Graham, per sack, 30c.

Wheat—70c.
Corn Meal, Sifted—$1.25 cwt.
Oats—23c.
Rye—50c.
Corn--28c.
Oil Meal—$1.40.
Flax Seed--$1.25@1.30.
Clover Seed—$4.25@4.75.
Alsyke Clover Seed—$5.00@6.00.
Wool, Unwashed--20@25c.
Wool, Washed--25@28c.
Hides—Green, 8½c; salted, 9½c.
Calf Hides—Green, 10c.
Calf Hides—Salted, 12c.
Tallow—4@4½c lb.
Butter—16@17c.
Best Jar Butter—12@15c.
Lard—5c.
Eggs—16@17c.
Chickens—6½@7c.
Honey—15@18c.
Potatoes—40@45c.
Onions—New, 40c.
Beeswax—25@26c.
Feathers—Live geese, 40@45c.
Bran--Ton, $15.00.
Hay—Timothy, $11.00@12.00.
Hay—Clover, $6.00@7.00.
Shorts--$15.00.
Middling—Ton, $15.00.
Pork—On foot, $4.40.
Pork—Dressed, $5.40@5.50.
Dressed Beef—Forequarters, 5½c.
Beef--Hindquarters, 7@7½c.

Germany's army is to have, shortly, a number of automobiles that are to be used not only for the transportation of the baggage, provisions and ammunition, but also for the rapid transportation of detachments of soldiers.

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Everything Sold at Sale Prices.

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A lot of Seersucker Ginghams at 5c, worth 8c.

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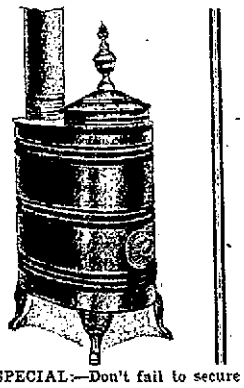
A WARM SUGGESTION.



A small heating stove that can be fired with a little wood now and then is lots better than keeping a furnace fired up during these days when it is chilly but not really cold. It will save a great deal in fuel, be easier to regulate, and can be readily taken down and stored when not wanted. A furnace isn't a complete heating outfit. Our Columbia Air Tight is just the stove you want to do this work satisfactorily, and the price is only $3.50. That is certainly a good investment. An ounce of reality is worth a pound of romance, and the reality of our advertised values is usually recognized.

SPECIAL:—Don't fail to secure a ticket on the Stewart Steel Range which we will give away on Feb. 1st. This beautiful $50.00 Range may be yours. Who knows?

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